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Ebensburg, Jan. 31, 1867.-tf.

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JAMES WILKINSON.
Loretto, March 12, 1868.1y.

The Poet's Department.

THE ROSEMARY CROWN.

Waiting in sorrow and mourning;
Waiting through gloomiest night;
Clad in the robe of the cypress;
Craving for beauty and light.
Centuries lifted the nations,
And hurled wrong's pinnacles down;
Yet still holy Ireland is waiting,
And wearing the Rosemary Crown.

Oh! the fulness of joy in the hoping,
The rich light which fancy had dreamed,
Whence once for the lapse of a moment
The sunlight of liberty streamed
How we planted the flag on our towers,
And waved it o'er mountain and town;
But, alas! the cypress was still blooming—
Alas! for the Rosemary Crown.

And lonely, and lonely, and lonely,
A watcher still sat by the sea,
With face as the white marble pallid;
And eyes gazing mournfully;
And hands lifted up in appealing,
That God would his mercy send down,
And the leaves of the laurel be shining
Where rested the Rosemary Crown.

We gave her the song of the poet,
We gave her the work of the brain,
Cast the glory of Heaven around her;
Yet still all our work was in vain.
"She is dead," said the scoff of the stranger—
A laugh for the cynic clown;
Ah! little he knew the wild passion
Long hid in the Rosemary Crown.

Now, the love and hope of a world,
Dear Mother, thy children have brought
The hard-handed strength of the soldier,
The blade of the mind full of thought;
The earnestness martyrs have taught us,
The strength of their glorious renown—
To the graves of the dead shall be borne
The leaves of the Rosemary Crown.

Weep not! 'tis the hour of the dawning;
Weep not! we are ready to save;
Nor reck of a newer heart broken,
Nor reck of another fresh grave.
O'er the graves we have marched in the past time,
O'er the graves of the dead still are bound,
Till the leaves of the bay shine as fairly—
As darkly the Rosemary Crown.

Tales, Sketches, Anecdotes, &c.

A TRUE STORY.

BY J. M. KIRKPATRICK.

In the autumn of 1847 I had occasion to visit the land office at Jackson, Missouri. My route lay through the county of C. Two years before the date of my adventure, my neice, Miss H., was married to Mr. M, who had moved to C—— county, of which he was now the sheriff. As I had not seen my neice since her marriage, I concluded to make it convenient to stay with her one night while on my way to Jackson.

On the morning of the second day after leaving home, I reached the home of my friends in the town of S——. My neice, Mrs. M, was delighted to see me; and, after the ordinary salutations were over, she requested me to stable and feed my horse, as Mr. M. was absent from home. I immediately complied, for the comfort of my horse is always my first care.—Having made "Bob" as comfortable as horse-flesh could reasonably be expected to be, I returned to the house, where a hastily prepared supper was already waiting me. Those who have ridden all day over a rough country, without stopping for the "inner comforts," can understand how readily I despatched the delicious light bread, cold, sweet milk, and rich yellow butter, together with good things "too tedious to mention," that my tidy little neice had set before me. In the course of the evening, which passed pleasantly and rapidly, I learned that Mr M. had left home the same morning that I had left mine, and that he would be gone two days longer. This I regretted, as I very much wished to see him.

I promised myself, however, that I would stop again on my return, when the Sheriff would be at home. Before retiring for the night, Mrs. M. confided to me that there was a large sum of money in my bed-chamber, mostly in gold, of which her husband, as a collector of the county, had charge, and with which he was to start for Jefferson City in a few days; and also that he had charged her not to let any one stay in the house during his absence. I laughingly replied that the notice came too late, as I had already taken up my quarters, but that I would stand guard over the money bags till morning. With that I took a candle and retired to my room.

I took out my two pistols, laid them on the table by my bed-side, and undressed for bed. The possibility of danger, however, strangely impressed my mind. The great risk of so large a sum of money being guarded by only a helpless woman, impressed my mind more and more the longer I thought about it. I became so restless that I arose from my bed, relighted my candle, examined my pistols to see that they were dry, re-primed and re-capped the tubes, and having placed them under my pillow in such a position that I could grasp them at a moment's warning, I again retired to my bed, almost disposed to laugh at my folly. Soon I fell asleep. How long I slept I don't know. I slept long enough for my mind to indulge in one of those strange, mysterious freaks that we call dreaming. Three men seemed to enter by force. I heard the screams of my neice, heard the robbers demand the money, heard them advancing up the stairway, and saw the bright flashes of lights, as with candle in hand they entered my chamber. During this time I lay utterly helpless. I knew if I could shake off this terrible spell that bound me I could save all; but my body refused obedience to my will—not a hand, not a finger could I move. The robber—for there now seemed to be but one in my chamber—instead of approaching the chest containing the money, walked directly toward my bed. I wonder that the agony I then suffered didn't turn my hair gray at once. The robber who approached me seemed to be a man of gigantic stature, and in the features more terrible than anything the waking mind could imagine.—He seemed clad in a loose flowing robe, parted at the neck; in his left hand he held what seemed to be a flaming torch, and in his right a strange looking weapon of huge size. As he almost reached my bedside, by a protracted and terrible effort I broke the spell that bound me, and in a moment I was awake. Instead of my grim, gigantic visitor, with his flaming torch and huge blunderbuss, a little woman—none other than my neice—stood before me with her long white gown, reaching almost to the floor, the very counterpart of that worn by my imaginary robber. In her left hand she held a candle, in her right the key of the money chest. In short she was the ghost, she was the giant of my dream; and my excited imagination had converted a very pretty woman into a frightful monster.

In a moment I was myself again; and a significant motion of my neice's head and hand imposed silence I was not a little puzzled. What could it mean? I didn't remain long in uncertainty, for my neice disclosed in a whisper that three men had entered the house, and ordered her, at the peril of her life, to deliver them all the money in her possession.

Danger frequently quickens our wits, and in this case I think it had the effect with me. I had it all in a moment—snatching up an apron that chanced to be lying in the chair by my bedside, I directed Mrs. M. to tie it around her body and in this place the money. Then cocking one of my pistols, I placed it in her right hand, and directed her to hold the apron in her left, and with the pistol firmly held in her right, and concealed in the folds of her apron, she was to descend, and to whichever of the robbers came forward to receive the money, she was to give the contents of her pistol. I was to follow carefully down stairs, and conceal myself behind the door until she fired; then I was to spring out of my hiding place and with my remaining pistol, give a salute to one of the remaining two, leaving the disposition of the third one to be determined by circumstances.

In far less time than it takes to tell it, this plan was carried into execution. The few moments that elapsed after I reached the foot of the stairs, before I was signalled to the scene of action, seemed almost endless. Would the little woman have nerve enough to fire? That was the rub. So intense was my excitement, that I feared the violent beating of my heart would betray my presence. A few seconds, however, answered the question.—A stunning report told me that Mrs. M. had done her part, and signalled me to do mine. As I leaped from my place of concealment I was just in time to see the forms of two men rushing out of the door. I discharged my pistol at the flying forms, but, so far as I ever heard, without effect. Mrs. M. had made a better shot, and had secured her game. The wounded man lay upon the floor, groaning hideously, apparently unconscious of the glittering coins that lay in strange profusion all around him. Poor scoundrel! he had got more than he had bargained for. On examining I found that he had received a very severe, but I did not think mortal wound. But the strangest part of my story is yet to be told. When stripped of his disguise, our robber turned out to be none other than the veritable sheriff himself, arrested in the execution of a deep scheme of rascality by the hand of his own wife. The whole matter is now explained. M. had conceived a plan of robbing himself of a large amount of money belonging to the State, and with this nice sum he would remove to parts unknown, and enjoy his ill-gotten fortune. But the best laid plans of mice and men "gang aft aglee." M. recovered, moved to Oregon, and for aught I know, is still living. Of one thing I feel certain, viz: that he will never again try to rob himself as long as his wife stands guard.

SINGULAR RELICS OF THE WAR.—The Des Moines Register has the following: "The Eastern papers describe a singular relic of the war which some reconstructed Johnny exhibits at Richmond. It is two musket balls welded together into two flat disks, inseperably united by meeting in full flight over a battle field. The press of the East claim that for this oddity there is no duplicate. But there is a greater curiosity in Iowa. Mr. W. A. J. Seals, of Monroe, has shown us two minnie balls which were picked up on the field after the second conflict at Bull Run. The balls met at right angles, and the point of one was buried half way in the body of the other. The ball that was struck is bent, and the striking bullet is flattened, but the plug end is plainly marked."

THE following conundrum was cooked twenty minutes to make it sufficiently hard: What is the difference between a donkey and the only empire in South America? The one brays well and the other brays ill (Brazil.)

PRAYING UNDER DIFFICULTIES.

The Louisville Courier Journal thus pleasantly relates the story of a prayer in the congregation of a Southern church during the first part of the war:

"It was in the summer of 1862. It was in a little, old, rusty depot town. It was in the midst of the war. The popular fury had not quite spent its force, nor the passion nor the gloss of arms worn off, like gilt braid, and lost their shiny charm. In those days the Confederate gray was full of stuff and color, and the stars and bars of gold lace on a man's coat were neither dimmed nor revealed by service: so that, if he saw fit, he might get himself up wondrous brave and spruce. In those days the girls of the South were not reduced to window curtains for dresses, nor to the more ignominious ripping up of certain unmentionable nether garments for collars, cuffs and handkerchiefs. The bloom of hope was on the volor of the men; the glow of the new glory was in the hearts of the women. The star of the South rose like a balloon to its full meridian; and even there in Chattanooga—in the dusty, out of the way storehouse, with its mass of combustibles and non-combatants, its hospitals, and magazines, and quartermasters, surgeons and dead beats—even there, in that rear and cul de sac, as one may say, of Bragg's army, which was stretched like a party of reconnoitering horse marines along the Tennessee river from the Narrows down to Bridgeport—even there, among the undeveloped martial spirit of commissary clerks and the undetected military genius of the provost guard—even there might be found fair women and brave men overflowing with the wild enthusiasm of the time and overflowed by the rosy atmosphere of a day which was rosy only with the red reflection of blood. It was in the golden prime of the August of 1862. It was at Chattanooga. It was under the guardianship of that beautiful brown peak from whose fair look-out not a note, save notes of love, have yet been seen. It was on the banks of that great stream whose silvery, many-multiplying horse-shoe had never a hostile pontoon bridge, for we thought we had something to be thankful about. Now, in those days we were easy to please, and withal, somewhat genial, if not jocose, in our dealings with Providence. Be this as it may, it was a day of thanksgiving, and a great number of officers and soldiers had come up from the front to a little church-going and a little courting, and more especially, after this combination of piety and sentiment to hear the famous Dr. Palmer, of New Orleans.

"The church was crowded. Not a pew was vacant, not a seat unoccupied, and chairs had been placed up and down the aisles. Gold lace and cocked hats and cavalry boots and prettily mounted sabres were mixed up indiscriminately with ribbons and muslins and the profuse whimsies, jim cracks and fal-las that enter into the mysterious and ambitious finery of woman's, of many woman's, summer dressing. It was, of a truth, a sight to see. Without, five hundred horses hitched carelessly to trees, and dusty streets and quiet pasture lands flanked about by the picturesque Tennessee hills. Within, a tropical flower garden, quite peaceful in its loveliness and warlike in its splendor. Be sure the perfidious thought of the hated Yankee perished before it entered there. Be sure there was not in the mind of all that multitude so much as the echo of the idea of an advance of the enemy.

"Dr. Palmer was in the pulpit. The congregation had been looking and listening with curious attention while he read some announcements and gave out a hymn. The hymn was sung stentoriously, and then began the 'long prayer,' everybody standing, and not the rustle of a frock nor the clank of a spur disturbed the serenity of the moment. 'Oh Lord,' the good man was saying, 'give us grace in the midst of war, to do God's service on earth of peace and good will to men; make us, amid the tumult and rack of arms, as still and fixed in the service of God as the everlasting hi'—bang! 'hills'—whew! It was the report of a cannon, and it came over the river, fetching a twelve pound schrapnel with it. This it deposited in the centre of a group of startled darkies outside, who were watching the horses and carriages of the white folks. Two more followed before the preacher had time to complete his sentence. He did complete it, however, in a measured and solemn way; but the spirit of the Lord could not wholly and on the instant subdue the impulse of poor weak human nature. The consternation was immediate and intense, and yet, strange to say, not noisy. There was a single cry of alarm. A number of officers, who had posts of duty to fill, quitted the place; two or three ladies approached the door, but Dr. Palmer did not budge a muscle nor alter his tone. He proceeded with prayer as the shells came faster and the din grew louder. There was just never such a prayer prayed out of a pulpit. The man stood up there glowing in the summer light and answering every hostile shot with a message of Christian love, and the noise, great as it was, did not drown a word. He prayed for everything, and for everybody. At one time it seemed that he was about to turn his attention to the gentlemen on the other side of the water and pray for their poor souls, too. It was indeed a 'long prayer.' As the leaden devils came whizzing over the roof and cracking through the trees—the ungodly rascals had got the range of the church exactly—as they buried themselves sullenly in the ground under the windows or exploded frightfully among the beams or against the stonework, the hearers might have thought the preacher would never come to an end. To be sure, this was well enough for Palmer. He had an uncommon good thing, albeit the pulpit was the most exposed position, and every one expected to see him drop any moment; for praying as he was, he had only to die and go to heaven, straightway in a handbasket, or any other ready convenience, sure of a blessed immortality for his fame in this world and his spirit in the world to come. The rest were, however, not so sure, and it will hardly surprise the reader to learn that they waited nervously.—They may be said to have been very nervous. But finally, after exhausting the catalogue, after stretching the long prayer to its longest, after praying for all sorts and conditions of men, beasts, birds and things, the preacher sounded the ready words: 'And the grace of our Lord, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost be with you all now and forever. Amen.' Then quietly descending from the pulpit he added: 'The congregation is dismissed;' and the people moved out of church, and thence out of the range of danger, amid a raking fire that continued to pour across the river. It was an advance of the enemy's cavalry out-posts, with a battery of four pieces of light artillery. The party had crept in under Bragg's elbow, which was very long and almost akimbo, and it glided back unpunished as it had come unexpected."

THE JOSH BILLINGS' PAPERS.

THE MONKEY.

The monkey iz a human being, a little undersised, kivvered with hair, hitched to a tail, and filled with the devil.

Naturalists will tell you, if you ask them, that i am mistaken, that I mean well enuff, and don't mean tew deceive ennybody, but the monkey iz not a human being, he iz simply a pun on humanity, a kind of malishus joke of Jupiter's, a libel with a long tail tew it, a misterious mixtur of ludikrous mischief and stale humor, a kind of pacing hobbyhoss, or connecting gang-plank between man in his dignity and the beast in his darkness.

I hav a hi opinion ov the naturalist, and all kinds ov the dictionary fraternity, and touch mi hat tew them, when we meet, and i respekt them for what they know, but don't worship them for what they don't know, as the heathens do their wooden gods.

I don't kare what the philosophers say they kan prove in this matter, i tell you confidenshally, mi kristian friend, that yu and the monkey are relashuns.

I don't pretend tew say that you are brothers and sisters, but i do pretend tew state, that monkeys, or enny other kind ov critters, who exercise reason, even if the light ov it is az dim az a number six dip candle in the ray ov the noonday sun, are our relashuns for a certain amount.

The only fence between the animal and bruit folks, iz instinct and reason, and if the natralist kant prove that the monkey don't show a single glimmering ov reason, i say he must step oph from the monkey's tail, and let him eat at the fust table.

The monkey is imitative tew the highest degree, and imitashun is a direckt transgression ov the law ov instinkt, and is fallow ground within the domain of reason.

Instinkt don't step one single step aside, tew smell of a flower or pull a cat's tail.

But argument ain't mi fightin weight, i git along the best by asserting things az they strike me, and i say upwards ov four thousand things every year, that i kan't prove, enny more than I kan prove what mlody iz.

The naturalists may have their own way, but they kan't have mine, what little i know about these things has bin whispered to me by the spirits, or some other romping critters, and iz as distinkt and butiful, sumtimes tew me, as a dream on an empty stummack; it may be all wrong but it never iz vicious, and thus i konklude it iz edukashun.

Now i don't advise ennybody else tew depend for their learning upon sich prekarious school masters, the best way iz to follow the ruts, it will take you to town just as it did yure daddy.

The route that i travel is cirkuitous and blind sometimes, it has now and then a vista, or a landscape in it, that iz worth tew me, more than a farm of tillable land, but you kan't raise good white beens on a landskape.

Whenever i drop mi subject, and begin to strut in the subburbs of sentimentility and proverbial pomposity, i alwus think ov a gobble turkey, in a barn-yard, on dress parade, and that is jist what i am thinking ov now, and therefore i will dismount from the turkey, and git aboard the monkey, (the monkey az he am) once more.

Pure deviltry is the monkey's rite bower; he iz only valuable, (az personal property) tew look at, and wonder what he iz going to do next.

He iz a jack at all trades, put him in a barber shop, he will lather, and try tew shave himself, and color his mustash, put him in a dri good store, and he will handle more goods than the best retail clerk in A. T. Stewart's employ.

The monkey has not got a logikal head, it is too much like a pin-hed, all in a heap to onst, but his face is a concentrated du drop of malishus mischief.

He resembles the rat tarrier in countenance, and skratches hiz head, as natural as a districk school boy, and undoubtedly for the same reason.

Monkeys never grow enny older in expreshun, a yung monkey looks just like his grandpapa, melted up and born again.

They are sometimes kept as pets, but i should rather watch two adopted orphan boys, fresh from the Home of the Friendless, than two monkeys.

They will eat everything that a man will, except bolony sarsage, here they show more instinkt than reason.

But after all, the monkey shows evident signs ov reason, they are, as a means of praktikal grace, the most useless kritters i have ever pondered over and skratched mi head about.

They won't work, and they won't play, unless they kan raise sum devil, they are too much like a human being in looks, and actions to kill off, it is impossible tew gaze at one and git mad at him, and it is impossible to laff at their smirking santanity, without getting mad at yureself.

If ennyboddy should make me a present ov a monkey, i don't know now, whether i should konsider it intended for malice, or a joke, but i do know, that i should send him back bi the same person that fetched him, to the donor, marked in loud italicks—*C. O. D.*

In konklusion; thare iz only one thing that i have a great supply ov doubt about, in reference tew the monkey, and that is his moral stamina, while in the garden ov Eden, with the rest ov the critters, previous tew the time that Adam fell;—was he strickly on the square, or was he just az full ov the devil as he iz now.

An answer tew the above conundrum iz earnestly solicited.

A FUNNY INCIDENT.—Geo. Lascelles, in a letter to the New York Clipper, relates a funny incident which happened at the old Albany Museum, in the good old times when the drama, wax figures and other curiosities were in vogue there:

On the Fourth of July, 1852, a patriotic addition to the show being desired, Charles Salisbury, a comical genius, notorious for his practical jokes, was chosen to represent George Washington, and of course, was dressed in the traditional costume. The doors had just been opened for the evening performance, and visitors had commenced thronging the curiosity rooms, when a mischievous idea struck Mr. Salisbury, who opened the door of one of the wax work cases, unobserved, took a position among the figures and tried to look as immovable as possible. A countryman, his wife and daughter, a young miss of eighteen, were the first who entered. As the young lady approached Washington, he bestowed upon her a most unfatherly wink. "Good gracious, ma," exclaimed she, "that figure of Washington winked at me." "Nonsense, child," exclaimed ma, "you are so conceited you think everybody is in love with you." But at this moment, she was almost speechless herself, for the venerable Washington had applied his fingers to his nose in a very suggestive manner. "Oh, William!" she exclaimed, grasping her husband's arm, "do look at that." "What is it?" asked William, "why, I believe you women folks are crazy." At this moment General Washington struck a beligerent attitude and uttered a terrific yell. In an instant the whole party tumbled down stairs, pell-mell, and related the wonderful story, while Washington quietly slipped off to his dressing-room, laughing in his sleeve at the joke.

MATRIMONIAL MACHINES.—A machine to facilitate marriages has, it is said—in model at least—been sent to the Patent Office by its inventor. The notion is, that the marriageable people of a social circle or district are to put their respective names, written on cards, into the machine; upon setting it in operation, the majority of the cards are ground to impalpable powder, but a few are turned out mated, and paired by inexorable fate. But, after all, this is not equal to the method of the olden time. Then, the lads and lasses gathered around the glowing hearth, the andirons were cleared from the blazing logs, and the boys arranged chestnuts upon one andiron, the girls on the other. Each chestnut represented one individual—the one who placed it there; and the heads came very close together over the fire while the hands were placing the chestnuts on the respective bars. The chestnuts were left to roast. There was no hope for those that, exploding, fell into the fire. Those that flew out of the chimney-place into the room had another chance; but those that sat out the roasting upon the bars were inevitably and irrevocably mated. It was only requisite in the beginning that the chestnuts should be examined, to see that they were sound, and that there were no holes in them; the test was perfectly fair, and the great advantage was that the chestnuts themselves "popped" the question.

OYSTERS.—A peculiarity of oysters is unknown to many. Thunder sours milk and kills oysters. You may load a vessel to its utmost capacity, start for market, and one good round clap of thunder will kill every oyster in the vessel immediately. Pounding with an axe upon the deck of a vessel when oysters are therein, or pounding upon the sides of a vessel with a heavy weight, will kill every oyster that feels the jar. But thunder fetches them the first pop.

Cambria Freeman.

EBENSBURG, PA.

THURSDAY MORNING, : AUG. 11, 1870.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

Assembly—W. HORACE ROSE, Johnstown.
Sheriff—WM. B. BONACKER, Johnstown.
Commissioner—FRANCIS O'FRIEL, Loretto.
P. H. Director—P. H. BERG, Cambria Twp.
Auditor—JOHN WAGNER, Chest Springs.
Coroner—JACOB A. HARROLD, Johnstown.
Jury Com.—ALEX. SKELLY, Summerhill Tp.

AT the election held in North Carolina last week, the democrats made a clean sweep, electing five of the seven Congressmen, two-thirds of the Legislature and the Attorney General, the only State officar voted for. This is only the beginning of the end of Southern politics.

The full returns of the Kentucky election show a Democratic majority of 50,-000. So much for the fraudulent 15th amendment.

MONDAY'S *Age* says: A writer in the Knoxville (Tenn.) *Whig* suggests ex-President Johnson as a candidate for Congress in that district, now represented by Butler, a Radical of quite as infamous and contemptible character as Whittemore. The ex-President, it is said, has no desire to run, but it is proposed to nominate him, as he would not feel at liberty to decline a position to which the united voice of the opposition called him. The Knoxville *Whig* heartily approves the suggestion of its correspondent, and says: "We would not at all be surprised if he is nominated by acclamation."

THE latest war news is furnished by a telegram from Berlin, dated Aug, 8th, which says that General Steinmetz telegraphs the following particulars of the contest at Hagnau, near Weissenburg, between General Von Goeben and the French force under General Frossard: "The fight was opened on our side by the Fourteenth division, which were subsequently reinforced by artillery and cavalry. A fierce and bloody struggle raged along the line between Saarbruck and Forbach, lasting until night. The heights of Spiech eren were carried at the point of the bayonet, and the enemy were thrown back on Forbach. Meanwhile our Fifteenth division had advanced from Vocklingen, taken Rossel, and reached Forbach at nightfall, the broken divisions of the French army being driven upon that point. There the baggage and camp equipage of two divisions and many prisoners were taken."

Democratic County Convention.

We congratulate the Democracy of this county on the result of the deliberations of the Democratic County Convention held in this place on last Monday. The proceedings of the Convention will be found elsewhere, but we will not this week, discuss the merits of the different candidates put in nomination. As usual, several gentlemen who were aspirants for office were not nominated, but they all received a fair hearing none the less. The Convention was composed of leading and influential Democrats from all the districts of the county. The utmost harmony prevailed in the assemblage during all its deliberations, and the ticket nominated is universally admitted to be a strong and good one, and that it will be triumphantly elected on the second Tuesday of next October there is no room whatever to doubt. We will refer at length to the several candidates and their respective merits in our next issue. In the meantime we cannot refrain from expressing our free and full satisfaction with the entire ticket presented, and pledge it our unswerving and unqualified support.

GEORGIA.—No orders have been issued to General Terry since the passage of the Georgia bill, either by the President or War Department. The Atlanta papers reaching here this evening have long letters from Congressmen Cessna, of Pennsylvania, and Lawrence, of Ohio, arguing that the intent of their bill is against an election in November.

Here is distinctly presented to the American people the effort of two Radical demagogues in Congress, John Cessna, of the Bedford district, in this State, and a member of the same stripe of politics from Ohio, who undertake to say to the people of Georgia, a State in this Union, or ought to be, that her people shall *not* hold an election in that State next fall, as they are entitled to do under their laws and constitution. The plain and simple question arises, why and wherefore John Cessna is authorized to write a long letter to the people of Georgia declaring his belief that under the provisions of the Georgia bill no election could be held in that State in November? Who invested this domagogue with this supreme authority of interpreting the meaning and intent of an act of Congress? Why should not an election be held in Georgia next November? Can any decent and honest representative doubt that there ought to be an election in that State next fall? Why should not Cessna and Lawrence issue a proclamation declaring that there should not be an election held in Pennsylvania on the second Tuesday of next October? Georgia ought to be in the Union, but she is not. If this is not an infamy pure and undisguised, then we want to know what it means.

THE question of the dogma of Papal Infallibility has been very generally discussed in the public press of this country, but it seems that it has not been intelligently and rightly comprehended by a large majority of those who have expressed an opinion on the subject. In an other part of this paper will be found an exposition of what it really means, as given by the Vicar-General of New York, Rev. Father STARRS. We direct the attention of our readers to it, and we herewith also publish the following article from the *World* in reference to Father STARRS' statement of the meaning of the dogma:

So many false notions have been entertained both within and without the pale of the Roman Catholic Church of the precise scope and purport of the promulgation of the dogma of Papal Infallibility, that it was really incumbent on some person in high place to give an authorative exposition of it. This duty has been very properly assumed, in the absence of the archbishop, by his vicar-general, Father STARRS, whose explanation, being both literally *ex cathedria* and really coming from one having authority, and not from the ill-informed scribes of the Protestant press, deserves to be attentively read by those persons who have attacked the dogma as a transcendent absurdity on account of the position they suppose it to include, but which, according to the highest authority attainable in this country, in absence of the chief pastors and masters of the church, it does not include at all. The comparison which Father STARRS has instituted between the infallibility of the Pope and the ultimate jurisdiction of a court of last resort is strikingly appropriate. The members of the tribunal may be and must be fallible; but it is an absolute necessity, to a nation governed by laws, that the power should be lodged somewhere to declare what that law is, finally and irreversibly, and to that extent infallibly. The analogy between a nation governed by law and a church governed by traditionary doctrine, is perfect; and it is evident that it is as necessary to prevent schism in one case as to guard against anarchy in the other, by lodging, somewhere in the hierarchy, a power to fix and determine the traditions of the church in case of a disputed interpretation of them. This power the council has seen fit to commit formally, as it has from immemorial time been committed in practice, to the Supreme Pontiff. The bugbear of Papal Infallibility, so far as its operation is concerned, hath this extent and no more. Although all reasonably well informed persons were aware of it before, ignorant or perverse persons have seen fit to assume that it went much further, and for their confusion, as well as for the edification of his especial charge, the vicar-general has done well to put an authoritative interpretation upon the act of the council.

COL. WM. SIRWELL.—In the last issue of the Kittanning *Sentinel* we find the following: A correspondent of the Pittsburgh *Mirror* thus mentions Col. Wm Sirwell, our candidate for Congress (subject to the decision of the conferees) We would remark that the Colonel disclaims any pretentions to being a good speaker:

Some new candidates have been mentioned in connection with the various officers. Col. William Sirwell, of Kittanning will receive the united vote of the Congressional conferees from Butler and Armstrong counties, and it is hardly probable that any oppositions will be made to his nomination from this portion of the District. The Colonel was commander of the Seventy-eighth Pennsylvania Regiment during the war, and is one of the few Democratic soldiers that adhered to the party organization. Some enthusiastic friends of the Colonel allege that he will carry our county, in case the present incumbent of the position is nominated, he having many elements of popularity not possessed by Mr. Phelps. The Colonel is a good speaker a practical mechanic, and a social, pleasant gentleman, who will take advantage of every opportunity offered to add to his list of friends, and forward his political aspirations. He will doubtless prove a powerful opponent to the Republican candidate, but can hardly expect to overcome the decided Republican majority of the District.

THE Louisville, Kentucky, *Courier-Journal*, of the 2d inst., thus alludes to the election in that city, which occurred on the previous day. It must be remembered that this was the first political contest in Kentucky, in which negroes participated. The *Courier-Journal* says: "The returns show a smaller vote than was expected. This is owing to the fact that the voting places during the afternoon were almost blockaded by the crowds of negroes that surrounded them. Many persons were thus deterred from voting. But the entire Democratic ticket is elected by handsome majorities; and, considering the peacefulness and fairness of the election—its freedom from bullying and disturbance of every sort—Democrats have reason to congratulate themselves. o o Whi'st the result gratifies us, it does not surprise us. We have not, at any time, entertained a doubt of the success of the entire Democratic ticket. But the majorities might have been much greater had the party been thoroughly organized, and had it polled its full strength. It is the opinion of the best judges that had our precincts been doubled, we should have increased our majorities by at least 3,000 votes. But we lack both voting places and organization, whilst the Radicals were admirably organized, and voted the negroes, like clock work, early and often.

THE NATHAN MURDER.—A wealthy banker of New York City named Benjamin Nathan, was murdered a few nights ago in his bedroom, and $60,000 in bonds and notes stolen, besides his watch, diamond studs and other valuables. The rewards offered for the detection of the murderer now amount to $50,000, and the detectives are beginning to work against each other in their desire to receive the entire amount. Full descriptions of the missing watch and studs have been telegraphed to all prominent cities in the Union, and Governor Hoffman, Judge Cardozo and other prominent citizens are actively co-operating for the discovery and arrest of the murder. The theory seems to be gaining ground that the murder was committed by some one familiar with the house, perhaps one of its regular inmates, while the *Sunday Mercury* openly charges and devotes two columns to support the theory that Washington Nathan, a son of the deceased, was the guilty man.

—An honorable Republican Senator of Mississippi, named Morgan, has distinguished himself in the eyes of the world by taking to his bosom, as a helpmate, a "yaller gal" of a very dark hue. We wish the gallant Senator joy of his nuptuals, and shall wait with some anxiety the report of the manner he and his chosen one will be received by his relatives and friends at Cleveland, from which place he hails.

What is Papal Infallibility?

A Te Deum in Honor of its Promulgation--Address by Vicar Gen. Starrs.

A Te Deum service was held in St. Patrick's Cathedral yesterday morning in honor of the promulgation of the dogma of infallibility at Rome.

The spacious building was filled at the appointed hour. The celebrant of the mass, which preceded the Te Deum was Father McGean. Father Starrs, Vicar General, made an address in front of the altar, explanatory of the dogma of infallibility, before mass. He said, after announcing the Te Deum service, that he deemed it necessary to give a concise description of the dogma of infallibility, and the reason of its promulgation, and that this could easily be done because the doctrine is so simple and comprehensible. Many entertain the erroneous opinion that the Pope cannot err in anything he says or does; but that is not so—that is not the meaning of papal infallibility. This is no new doctrine; the recent ceremony at Rome was only for its more distinct enunciation. It is as old as the church itself. The dogma of papal infallibility does not teach that the Pope cannot err in what he says or does. He can make mistakes—he is human just as we are. The doctrine does not mean that he cannot err in discussion or preaching. He is truly fallible as a man. "Infallibility means this, and no more or less; that the Pope, speaking *ex cathedra*—officially from the chair of St. Peter declaring anything as to matters of faith—is infallible.—This attribute belongs to all the successors of St. Peter, the visible head of the church. Christ prayed for St. Peter that his faith might not fail, and said, "Peter, thou art the rock, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it." "I give thee the keys of the kingdom of heaven. Feed my sheep and lambs." &c. All that Christ gave to Peter belongs to his successors. As Peter could not live always, the power given to him as head of the church, could not be perpetuated except as delegated authority. This doctrine is then very simple and plain, when rightly viewed. So many false ideas have been uttered on this subject, it is necessary to test plainly just what the doctrine is. It is well illustrated in some human affairs. For instance, in the United States we have a Supreme Court, with a Chief Justice and Associate Justices. Many cases are referred from lower courts to this. But after a case has been decided in the Supreme Court there can be no appeal. These final decisions are as near like those of the Pope as any secular matter can be like a spiritual one. When the Chief Justice is not on the bench his opinions only pass as those of an ordinary citizen; when he presides in the court his decisions are final, and the whole country submits to them. And so in the church, now that the great dogma is announced from the papal chair there is no appeal from it. "And you will all join in this rejoicing with all the rest of the Christian Church, that the visible head of the church is proclaimed infallible," when speaking *ex cathedra*, uttering doctrines from the chair of St. Peter.

The principal musical parts of the mass that followed this address were the beginning of the "Gloria" and "Et Incarnatus" (solo quartette without organ). This mass was arranged by Gustavus Schmitz, organist of St. Patrick's.

The Te Deum was by Coccia. The first part was sung by a chorus of thirty-five voices. The second part was a bass solo and solo quintette. The solo singers were:—Madame Cherne, soprano; Mrs. Werner, alto; Mr. H. Schmitz, tenor; Mr. A. Sohst, basso.

THE WAR.—There was heavy fighting on the 5th and 6th along the whole line from Saar-Louis to Bitsche. The affair at Weissenburg was but a prelude to the grand movement intended to encircle the French by a superior body of men and drive them back to Metz. A correspondent of the London *Times* laid down the campaign on the part of Prussia as follows: Prince Frederick Charles, on the Prussian Right, will attack the French right from Treves, probably moving upon Thionville. Crown Prince Frodercik William, leading the left wing of the Prussian army, will make an offensive movement from Landou. Simultaneously with these operations upon the right and left, General Von Steinmetz will co-operate by an advance from the centre by way of Kaiserlautem and Saarbruck. This advance will form a formidable line of attack. In pursuance of this plan the Crown Prince won the hard-fought field of Weissenburg, and followed that by an attack upon McMahon's division, near Worth. The first reports in regard to the battle were very conflicting, but last night official despatches from both Paris and Berlin announced a very decided victory for the Prussians. It would seem that the heads of the Prussian columns approaching the river Saar on the 5th, and on the morning of the 6th attacked the French under General Frossard, west of Saarbruck in a strong position in the mountains, near Spriehren. After a severe fight the French were driven from their position, losing two Eagles, six of the famed Mitrailleurs, thirty guns and four thousand prisoners. The loss in killed and wounded was very heavy on both sides. An official despatch from Napoleon states that "Marshal MacMahon has lost a battle. General Frossard has been obliged to retire. His retreat was effected in good order." In another despatch, dated Metz, August 7, 3.30 A. M., he adds: "My communications have been interrupted with Marshall MacMahon. I am going to place myself in the centre of the position." The Emperor states that on the right the action began about 1 P. M., but was not serious till seveeal masses of the enemy had concentrated, before which the second corps retired. —*Age.*

—A frightful accident occurred on Saturday morning on the Budd road, two miles below New Albany, Ind. Mrs. Marquet, of New Orleans, her two children and a young man, named Keys, started to Louisville in a spring wagon, Keys driving. In descending a steep hill the horses ran away, throwing the party out and tearing the wagon to pieces. Mrs. Marquet was thrown against the tree with such violence that her left arm was broken and her breast and body cut and torn in a horrible manner. She died an hour after the accident. Both girls were cut and bruised on the head and body, the youngest thought to be fatally injured.—Keys escaped with a few bruises.

—At Fredonia, Crawford county, Indiana, a few days ago, the little daughter of Daniel Duffin, aged three years, while playing near the door of its parents, was seized by a voracious hog, and dragged off to several other hogs, which commenced tearing the child to pieces. The endeavors made by the mother of the child were unsuccessful, but some gentlemen passing finally rescued it. Not a shred of clothing was left on the body. In severel places great chunks of flesh were literally torn out, leaving gaping wounds. There were twenty-two frightful cuts and bites upon the child's person. After lingering several days the child died.

—On a gate-post in front of a farm house out West is a sign reading "No life insurance or sewing machines wanted here."

General News Items.

—New York, Connecticut, Oregon, Colorado, Idaho, Kentucky, Tennessee, and North Carolina have already put their seal of condemnation on Grant's administration.—Who's next?

—Two boys, named Harvey Sellich and Charles Downey, were killed by lightning near Stanford, N. Y., on Thursday afternoon. Several persons were injured during the same storm at Morrisania.

—Two "young ladies, in Randall county, Ind., recently waylaid and soundly thrashed a young man who—as they accidentally discovered—was engaged to be married to both of them. He has emigrated.

—Mrs Sarah Jordan, of East Braintree, Mass., died last week at the advanced age of eighty-seven years. She has been married sixty-six years, and was buried in the identical costume which she wore at her wedding.

—A German named John Willis, residing on Stanislaus River, Nevada, is the owner of a calf having no forelegs. The animal is represented as being in good condition, and able to run about as well as any of the others on the farm.

—Five buildings on wheels, with stovepipes protruding from the rear, and each drawn by four yoke of oxen, passed through Clinton, Mo., the other day, heading for the southwest. Each wagon formed a house, to entitle the owner to a homestead farm.

—Three young navigators have sailed from Elmira, N. Y., for Baltimore in a skiff. They took along three baskets of champagne, a keg of lager, three demijohns of whisky and a loaf of bread. The Elmira folks don't see what they want with so much bread.

—No less than four of the most able Republican Representatives in Congress from Ohio have positively declined a renomination. Now it is rather interesting to know whether their declinations were impelled by a design to get out of bad company or by a feeling that their re-election was not quite so certain.

—General Schenck, despite his protestations to the contrary, has been renominated for Congress by the Radicals of the Third district. His declination of a renomination was a shrewd dodge. It had the desired effect. Had he contended for the nomination, the probabilities are that he would have been defeated.

—David Thomas, a heater in a rolling mill, residing at Skunk Hollow, Allegheny county, drank a bowl of lye some eight weeks since. He has been under the care of physicians, but without relief. He is terribly emaciated, his condition being described by the attendant physician as one of slow starvation.

—They want to send a young woman to Congress from Wyoming territory. Why not? If any young woman can be found who will voluntarily incur the company of the two Butlers, to say nothing of the cadet-thieves, and the negroes, and the carpet-baggers, we would say that Congress is the proper place for her.

—Senator Brownlow, of Tennessee, publishes a card in the papers to deny the stories about his ill health. He says he is, on the contrary, first rate; is able to receive all callers, and means to live a good while in spite of what the papers say. But who knows how soon his Satanic majesty may need some new recruits.

—On Thursday last a party of boys left Phœnixville, Pa., to pick berries. They heard the train from Philadelphia approaching, and one of them seated himself on the track to show how near the engine might approach and allow him to escape. The cowcatcher struck him and tossed him thirty feet, killing him instantly.

—Mr. Wm. Stevens, deputy United States Marshal to take the census for the lower half of Carolina county, Md., has unearthed two centenarians whilst in the discharge of his duty—Jane Hutson, familiarly known as "Jennie Dublin," aged 116 years, and Ann Murray, aged 110 years." The county record show that these are their true ages.

—Three bachelors in a midland town recently made themselves as famous as the three black crows, by a game of euchre.—The "victim" is to marry before the close of the year, and support the other two during the year following. The finding of a wife is an easy matter enough, but the trouble will be to induce her to comply with the terms of the contract.

—An indiscreet farmer of Norwich, Conn., having heard that flies would make excellent food for chickens, spread poisoned paper in all the windows of his house until he had an accumulation of two pounds weight on hand. The dead flies were thrown into the yard, and on the following day fourteen of his best fowls were found cold and stiff upon their roosting boards.

—A Radical western journal inquires: "We wonder what the Democracy will charge us with next?" It is hard to tell.—The Radical party has about gone through the calendar of wickedness, and it is hard to mention the next swindling invention in advance. There is one thing, however, that the leaders need not be afraid of being charged with, and that is—honesty.

—The bank of John Handly & Co., of the city of Scranton, was robbed of thirty thousand dollars in bank bills and greenbacks about ten o'clock Monday forenoon. The robbery was perpetrated by a young man who walked into the vault and helped himself to three packages of bills containing ten thousand dollars each, in broad daylight and in immediate view of the bank teller.

—Grant is an awful sprawler, and very funny besides. He tried to smoke in his bath last week and the surf would not let him, and he said—well never mind what he said. He went to the Methodist church next day, and we hope he made it all right, when he said "Forgive us our sins." He never says debts, because that word might be constructed into an obligation to those who had sent little gold buttoned boots to Miss Nellie.

—C. C. Farrington and wife, a young married couple, stopping at Osage, Iowa, have been arrested for murdering their own child, an infant a few weeks old. They took a carriage, went some distance into the country with the child, smothered it to death and then rolled over a large log, placed the child where the log had lain and then rolled it back in that place. It was found dead and entirely naked, crushed in a terrible manner.

—A heavy negro vote was polled in Louisville, Newport and Covington, Kentuckey, at the elections in those places the other day, yet the democratic majorities in all of them has been increased. Newport and Covington have heretofore voted radical. Louisville goes Democratic by a larger vote than ever before. The negroes uniformly voted the radical ticket, but the white republicans didn't. The story of Connecticut, New York and Oregon, is repeated in Kentucky.

—The finest educational building in Kansas is constructing at Pottawatomie, a Catholic college and convent. The college is to be 400 feet front by 175 feet in depth, and four stories above the basement, to be built of brick and stone, and to be completed in five years. The first 80 feet front is now being erected, at a contract price of $200,-000, and the remainder is estimated at a contract price of $150,000 for each eighty feet—one eighty to be built each year until completed.

A CURIOUS CASE.—One day last week Constable Michael Straub served a writ of execution on Mr. Louis Harmyer, and attached some tobacco, the only personal property he could find. The tobacco was not stamped, and its owner warned the constable that he dare not remove it without suffering the penalties of the revenue law, which is very severe. The State law makes it the imperative duty of the constable, when he finds property on which to levy, to do so, and hold it, or be liable for the value of the same. Mr. Straub, therefore, took the responsibility, preferring to serve the law under which he obtained his authority than be frightened off by probable prosecution under a conflicting law. No sooner had he taken the tobacco into his possession than Mr. Harmyer made affidavit before United States Commissioner Halliday that one Michael Straub had removed tobacco without its being stamped. The tobacco was seized, and is now held by Collector General Weitzel, awaiting the settlement of the question at issue. The constable proposed applying to the Collector for stamps to stamp the tobacco before selling the same. The revenue law provides that stamps shall be sold to nobody except a manufacturer or his agent, and the question to be settled is, whether a constable, in selling another man's property to pay that man's honest debts, is not virtually his agent, and entitled to stamps from the Government for the purpose of putting the property in a salable condition. If not, then any man may avoid the payment of his debts by converting his means into tobacco, or other property requiring to be stamped, and bid the constable defiance. A hearing of the case was set for this morning, but, by agreement between counsel for the constable, Mr. Rutterworth, and the District Attorney, it was arranged to write to Washington and obtain from the revenue authorities there an opinion of the law in regard to the use of stamps on property thus levied upon for sale.—*Cincinnati Chronicle, July 27.*

THE MASSACRE OF THE FRENCH MISSIONARIES AT TIENTSIN, CHINA.—Unfortunately the rumored massacre of the French Consul and members of the Roman Catholic establishment at Tientsin, China, is now fully confirmed. The Russian government has received a telegram, dated Kiatchta, July 6, in which it is stated that on the 21st of June the Chinese populace at Tientsin rose against the Roman Catholic missionaries and murdered not only the priests and sisters of charity residing in town, but also the French Consul, his secretary, two French merchants and their wives and two young Russians.—Not content with wreaking their fury on these unhappy persons, the mob burnt the French Consulate, the Roman Catholic church, and the hospital of the sisters. Of the cause that led to this outbreak we know nothing as yet. One thing, however, is certain, and that is that the fury of the mob was directed only against the members of the Roman Catholic religion, and notably the priests. The two Russians were probably murdered in mistake for Frenchmen. We shall most likely hear that the same wild reports as to the murder of infants by the missionaries—for the purpose of making medicaments from their eyes, brains, &c., which have been at the bottom of all the missionary riots that have lately occurred in China—are the cause of this one also. The Chinese government may congratulate itself that France has a much more serious matter on hand just now than that involved in this massacre. That it will be passed over is not to be expected.

An expedition will doubtless be sent to avenge the insult to the French flag, and once more the Pekin government will be called upon for indemnities and further treaty concession. With the point of the sword the coast of China was opened to foreigners and the rulers and people of China of the present day seem determined that free admission into the empire shall be yielded to the persuasive power of the same weapon.—*London Globe, July 22.*

—A curious incident in theology occurred on Sunday week in connection with the commencement exercises at Oberlin College.—That institution has long been the stronghold of New England Congregationalism, and the tenets taught in its Theological Seminary have been of the strictest Puritan orthodoxy. It was singular enough, then, to have Rev. J. McWilliams, of Wisconsin, preach one of the sermons of commencement week upon "The Intermediate State after Death," the discourse aiming to show that there is an intermediate place in the spirit land which is to be occupied before the judgement by the spirits of the departed.

—A terrible accident occurred on Saturday night on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad to the upward train at Jerry's Run, near the White Sulphur Springs, Va. The next car from the rear coach was precipitated down an embankment, one hundred feet high, and shattered to pieces. Twelve persons were killed and twenty wounded. The names of the killed and wounded cannot be ascertained until morning. Major Paxton and son, of Lexington, Virginia, are mortally wounded. There were about forty persons on the train.

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M. M. ADAMS.
Cresson, Cambria Co., July 28, 1870.-3t.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.—By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, the undersigned, guardian of Katie Bunn, minor child of John M. D., dec'd, will expose to sale, by public outcry, at the premises, on SATURDAY, THE 20TH DAY OF AUGUST NEXT, at 2 o'clock, P. M., a certain LOT OF GROUND situate in East Ward of Ebensburg, being Lot No. 18 and ted on the general plan of the Borough thereon erected a Two Story STONE HOUSE now occupied by E. H. Plank, M.D., and together with the privilege of a 20 foot alley extending 50 feet south, on the east side of Lot, from High street to a post; and Benefits accruing or that may accrue by article of agreement made between Rees Noon and John Williams, Esq., dated the day of May, A. D. 1850, and recorded in Recorder's Office of Cambria county, in Book Vol. 12, Page 177, in relation to the said Lot.
TERMS—One-third of the purchase money to be paid on confirmation of sale, and the balance in two equal annual payments thereafter, with interest, to be secured by the judgment bond and mortgage of the purchaser.
REES J. LLOYD, Guardian.
Ebensburg, July 28, 1870-3t.

CAMBRIA COUNTY, SS—
THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, } L.S. } *To the Sheriff of Cambria county, Greeting:* We command you that you attach ward A. Quintard, late of your county, if he may be found in your bailiwick, and him safely keep, so that he be and appear before our Judges at our Court of Common Pleas to be held at Ebensburg, in and for said county, on the *first Monday of September next*, to answer Juniata Iron Company on a plea of assumpsit promises; and, also, that you summon McLeod and others, that they be and appear before our Court, the said first Monday of September, to answer what shall be objected against them, and abide the judgment of the Court therein. And have you then and there this writ.
Witness the Honorable George Taylor, President Judge of our said Court at Ebensburg, the 27th day of June, A. D. 1870.
J. K. HITE, Prothonotary.
Attest—JOHN A. BLAIR, Sheriff.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—In the matter of HARTMAN & SON vs. CHARLES ZAHM, Jr.—*In the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria County: No. 82, March Term, 1870.* Now, 16th July, '70, on motion of Johnston & Wilson, Esqrs., Wm. H. Sechler appointed Auditor to report distribution of the fund in the hands of the Sheriff arising from the sale of the defendant's real estate to and among the parties entitled thereto. From the Record.
J. K. HITE, Prothonotary.
NOTICE is hereby given that I will attend to the duties of my appointment at my office, in Ebensburg, on FRIDAY, THE 19TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1870, at 2 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of attending to the duties of said appointment.
WM. H. SECHLER, Auditor.
Ebensburg, July 28, 1870.-3t.

NOTICE.—The undersigned, appointed Auditor to report distribution of the assets in the hands of JAMES E. NEALE, Esq., of the estate of JOHN E. M'DERMITT, late of Cambria county, deceased, and to report the same as exhibited in the second and final account of said Administrator, gives notice that he will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in Ebensburg, on THURSDAY, THE 18TH DAY OF AUGUST NEXT, at 2 o'clock, P. M., when and where all persons interested may attend if they think proper.
JOSEPH M'DONALD, Auditor.
Ebensburg, July 28, 1870.-3t.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—In the matter of the Estate of JAMES WILMORE.—*In the Orphans' Court of Cambria County: No. 3, September Term, 1870.*—Having been appointed an Auditor by the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, to report distribution of the money in the hands of the Sheriff arising from the sale of the real estate of said decedent, all parties interested will take notice that I will attend to the duties of said appointment, at my office in Ebensburg, on FRIDAY, 19TH OF AUGUST NEXT, at 2 o'clock, P. M.
P. A. SHOEMAKER, Auditor.
Ebensburg, July 28, 1870.-3t.

NOTICE.—A petition for the incorporation of "THE JOHNSTOWN SAVINGS BANK," having been presented to the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria County, and referred to the Prothonotary's Office, notice is hereby given that, if no sufficient reason be shown to the contrary, the prayer of the petition will be granted by said Court on the first Monday of September next.
J. K. HITE, Prothonotary.
Prothy's Office, Ebensburg, July 21, 1870.

FRANK D. STORM, PRACTICAL PLUMBER, EBENSBURG, PA. Office on Centre street, opposite Colonade Row.

Cambria Freeman.

TRSDAY. : : : AUG. 11, 1870.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

ENSBURG AND CRESSON RAIL ROAD.
and after **Monday, June 13th, 1870,** on this road will run as follows:

DEPARTING--Leave Ebensburg
50 A. M., connecting with Pittsburgh Ex-press West.
15, P. M., connecting with Mail Train West and Philadelphia Express East.

RETURNING--Leave Cresson
15 A. M., or on departure of Pittsburgh Express West.
00, P. M., or on departure of Philadelphia Express East.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE mocratic County Convention

ull Delegation Present and a Full Ticket Nominated.

compliance with the call of the Chairman e Democratic County Committee, the Del-s chosen to represent the Democracy of ria in County Convention, assembled at ourt House in this place, on Monday last, ay, for the purpose of placing in nomi-a county ticket to be voted for at the t October election. Every district in unty was represented. The Convention alled to order by F. A. Shoemaker, Esq., an County Committee, who addressed convention a few appropriate and well-words of congratulation and good coun-ter which R L. Johnston, Esq., of Eb-, was elected permanent President, and C. K. Zahm, of Cambria township, and W. King, of Johnstown, were chosen Sec-ies of the Convention. On assuming the of presiding officer, Mr. Johnston deliv-a able and eloquent address, in which counseled harmony and a united effort on of the delegates to select a ticket worthy emselves and worthy of the great party in interests they had been called upon to sible and deliberate.

organization having thus been effected the announcement made that the Conven-was ready for business, the following res-on was offered and adopted without a dis-ng voice:

olved, By the Delegates in Convention as-bled, That we do hereby pledge ourselves, all as the candidates this day to be present-y us respectively for nomination by this ention, to support the ticket selected on casion, and to use all honorable means to re its triumphant election.

he next business in order was the present-of the credentials of the several delegates et, but it appearing that the right to rep-t the 2d ward of Conemaugh borough, as as that of Taylor township, was in dispute, by consent of the Convention, ap-Chair, by consent of the Convention, ap-ted a committee of five to determine the tions at issue. After a short absence the mittee returned and reported in favor of gentlemen whose names appear as repre-atives from the contested districts in the wing

LIST OF DELEGATES.

Allegheny—Wm. J. Buck, Michael McGuire.
Blacklick—Lewis W. Shank, Jacob Kiper.
Blacklick—Abram Makin, John B. Hite.
Cambria Borough—Neil McAnany, Hugh McGuire.
Cambria Twp.—George C. K. Lahm, Peter H. Berg.
Carroll Twp.—Michael J. Nagle, Henry Hoppel.
Carrolltown—William A. Noel, Francis Flick.
Chest Twp.—Anslem Weakland, Jas. McAnce.
Chest Springs—Jos. Wertner, Daniel C. Little.
Clearfield—Jacob Nagle, B. Hobart.
Conemaugh Twp.—Chas. Vonleunen, Jr., Jerry Wissinger.
Conemaugh Boro.—John Campbell, Joseph Imhoff, 1st ward; Henry Freidhoff, Geo. W. 2d ward.
Croyle—William Lloyd, Joseph Weis.
Cresson—James Dick, John Lamison.
Conemaugh—John Humphreys, Patrick Murra.
Ebensburg—Philip Collins, John A. Blair, east ward; R. L. Johnston, James Myers, west ward.
Franklin—Sam'l Dunmire, Augustine Fink.
Gallitzin—John McDermitt, Martin Maher.
Jackson—William Gillian, Henry Rager.
Johnstown—Augustus Dangus, J. W. Seigh, 1st ward; Thomas M'Gough, Adolphus F. Erb, 2d ward; James King, Louis Welsh, 3d ward; John A. Stemmer, Max. Huebach, 4th ward; Henry Mattern, Joseph Earich, 5th ward; Hugh Boyle, Simon Young, 6th ward.
Loretto—John G. Lake, Bernard Kelly.
Millville—Michael Nealy, Patrick Rodgers.
Munster—Aug. Durbin, Geo. M'Cullough.
Prospect—Patrick Boyle, John Rodgers.
Richland—William Cole, Charles Huber.
Summerhill—Patrick Lynch, William Flynn.
Summitville—Christ. Reich, Wm. McConnell.
Susquehanna—John Somerville, J. Luther.
Washington—John S. Snyder, Peter Kearns.
Washington—J. H. Kennedy, G. J. Swaderer.
White—Joseph Cramer.
Wilmore—Michael McColgan, Isaac Wike.
Woodvale—Daniel Berthold, Charles Helfrich.
Yoder—A. Culin, Joseph Hochstein.

Everything being now in working trim, the President announced as next in order the nomination of a candidate for

ASSEMBLY,

whereupon the names of Messrs. Wm. H. Rose, James Griffin, R. H. Brown, Nathaniel Horne and John Porter were presented by their respective friends, after which the Convention proceeded to ballot, 42 votes being necessary to a choice. We give the several ballotings as condensed a form as possible, beginning with the

FIRST FOUR BALLOTS.

	1st ballot.	2d ballot.	3d ballot.	4th ballot.
Rose	22	31	34	34
Brown	22	24	24	22
Griffin	13	13	10	12
Horne	11	9	5	6
Porter	4	4	4	7

After four ballots had been gone through with, Mr. Porter's name was withdrawn from the canvass, when the Convention again proceeded with the immediate work before it, which was accomplished after participating in

TWO MORE BALLOTS.

	5th ballot.	6th ballot.
Rose	39	44
Brown	23	22
Griffin	13	12
Horne	6	3

Mr. Rose, having received more than the requisite number of votes on the sixth ballot, was declared the choice of the Convention, and a motion his nomination was made unanimous. The nomination of a candidate for the office of

SHERIFF

being next on the list, the names of Messrs. D. Morris, Wm. Doran, Wm. B. Bonacker, J. McCreight and Francis Cramer were presented, and the Convention at once proceeded to ballot for the gentlemen named. Before a vote was arrived at it was found necessary to alter the casting of

ELEVEN CONSECUTIVE BALLOTS.

	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th
Doran	28	28	33	30	30	28	33	32	34	35	42
Bonacker	13	17	20	22	22	25	31	32	34	34	39
Morris	11	15	11	12	11	13	(withdrawn.)				
Cramer	9	6	8	8	9	8	14	17	13	12	(w'n)
O'Friel	11	9	9	8	9	7	3	(withdrawn.)			

The nomination of Mr. Bonacker having been secured by the majority of the votes cast, the Convention endorsed the choice by declaring his selection to be entirely satisfactory to the delegates present, as was indicated by the unanimous vote in his favor.

At this stage of the proceedings a number of delegates withdrew, the near approach of train time and their anxiety to reach their respective homes having prompted the movement. The Convention, however, proceeded with the work before it, and the naming of a candidate for

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

being next in order, Messrs. Jos. W. Pringle, John A. Kennedy, Francis O'Friel, Edward Evans, David Tobin, Wm. A. Skelly, Jos. Slate, Patrick Smith, James W. Condon and Hon. Dunmire were mentioned in that connection, but no result was arrived at until after the taking of

NINE BALLOTS.

	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
Kennedy	18	27	28	25	25	27	25	23	25
O'Friel	14	22	30	28	24	24	23	23	27
Pringle	16	10	11	4	4	2	3	1	..
Smith	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	..
Slate	10	7	5	1	2	2	2	2	..
Skelly	6	5				(withdrawn.)			
Tobin	4	4				"			
Evans	2	2				"			
Condon	2	2				"			
Dunmire	3	2				"			

Mr. O'Friel, having been awarded a majority of the votes cast on the 9th ballot, was declared the nominee, and that decision was thereupon concurred in unanimously.

The attention of the Convention being next directed to the selection of a candidate for

POOR HOUSE DIRECTOR,

the names of Peter H. Berg, Anselm Weakland, James Farren and James McCoy were suggested. The nomination of the first named gentleman was secured after the following

FOUR BALLOTS.

	1st bal.	2d bal.	3d bal.	4th bal.
Berg	21	20	20	25
Weakland	12	10	12	11
Farren	14	16	12	9
McCoy	1	1	(withdrawn.)	

FOR AUDITOR

John Wagner, of Chest Springs, was chosen by acclamation.

FOR CORONER

Jacob A. Harrold, the present incumbent, was re-nominated without opposition, and for

JURY COMMISSIONER

Alexander Skelly, of Summerhill township, was declared the choice of the Convention by acclamation.

Messrs. Philip Collins, C. L. Pershing and Isaac Wike were elected Congressional Conferees, without instructions, and Jas. King was chosen Delegate to the next Democratic State Convention R L.Johnston, Esq., of this place, was unanimously selected as Chairman of the Democratic County Committee for the ensuing year, whereupon he requested the delegates in attendance to send him the names of one Democrat from each of their respective districts to act as members of the County Committee.

It is only truth to say that the proceedings of the Convention were marked throughout by more than the usual amount of harmony and good feeling, and it is admitted to be one of the most orderly assemblages of the kind that has ever convened in this place. At about 7 o'clock, P M, the Convention adjourned with three tremendous cheers for the ticket and for the good old Democratic cause.

Haps and Mishaps at and near Home.

—G. T. S.—Got Tightly Slight.

—It has been estimated that new apples contain four bellyaches to the bite.

—Most fashionable young ladies play a few airs well, but put on a great many better.

—A man who loves his family will always take a newspaper, and a man who respects his family will always pay for it.

—Surveyors are now engaged in locating the route of a contemplated railroad from Bell's Mills, Blair county, to Fallen Timber, this county.

—There is said to be about three hundred visitors at Cresson Springs, this county, and all are enjoying themselves hugely.

—The pressure upon our columns will be a sufficient excuse, we feel sure, to our Altoona correspondent for the non-appearance of his letter this week.

—The "present" government passed over the Pa. R. R. on Monday last en route for Chicago. It's not after a divorce, but the nation would willingly put up with one.

—A valuable farm of 140 acres in Blacklick township is offered for sale in our advertising columns to-day Wm. H. Sechler, Esq., of this place, can give any desired information.

—A lad named Darr, a son of Mr. Joseph Darr, of Altoona, had the index finger of his left hand so badly mashed by a straw cutter, on Friday evening last, that it had to be amputated.

—An aged and wealthy maiden lady named Harland died very suddenly of heart disease at Cresson at an early hour on Tuesday morning. Her remains were taken home to Philadelphia for interment.

—Arthur Reeves, the showman who shot young Baker in Hollidaysburg, has been arrested at his home in Rome, Ashtabula county, Ohio, and is held to await a requisition from the Governor of this State.

—Judge Leonard, of Clearfield, well known here, fell from a ladder on the 1st inst., lighting on his head and cutting it very severely on a nail. He is now, we are pleased to learn, in a convalescent condition.

—A man named D. C. Gibbs, of Sewickly, Pa., was so terribly trampled by a horse in the stable attached to the Laird House at Greensburg, on Tuesday week, that he lived only a few minutes after receiving the injuries.

—People are warned to look out for counterfeit greenbacks. We have been looking out for some of the genuine stripe from a large number of delinquent subscribers for some time past, but vain indeed has been our look so far.

—It is reported here this (Wednesday) morning that Maj James Potts, the removal candidate, has been withdrawn, and that a committee has been appointed to hunt up a substitute. If so, we shall see what we shall see.

—Slightly muddled—The Johnstown Tribune's account of the immense railroad contract recently awarded to the Messrs. Collins and other gentlemen comprising the Central Improvement Company. Pick your flint and fire again, Brother Swank.

—A wound about five inches long was inflicted below the ribs on the right side of a young man named James Cochrane, near Willet, Indiana county, not many days ago, in consequence of falling upon a scythe which he was carrying upon his shoulder.

—The XXXX cigars just received by M. L. Oatman & Co are not only worthy of a puff from the Freeman, but from every other man who enjoys the weed and appreciates a tip-top cigar. They are mild and perfectly dry, and are made of the very best tobacco.

—The deliberations of the convention were broken in upon on Monday afternoon by the cry of fire, which was given rise to by the fact that some part of wood work about the kitchen department of the old jail had caught fire from the pipe of the cook stove. No serious damage resulted.

—A heavy wind storm in Rostraver township, Westmoreland county, not many days ago, blew the roof of Mr. Manswer's barn, and the fragments of the roof struck a daughter of Mr. M. and a man named Lewis, injuring them both very severely. The little girl's life is despaired of.

—A model artist chap at East Conemaugh, this county, got himself cowhided not long since for bathing in front of a gentleman's house after being notified to desist. Having tried both, he prefers a bare hide to a cowhide, but deems it unsafe to further indulge his peculiar preference in that particular locality.

—A four and a half foot black snake wound itself around the legs of Mr. James Segar, while that gentleman and a friend of his were disporting themselves in a grove near Altoona, on Sunday afternoon last. Not wishing to be smoked in that way, Mr. Segar quickly decapitated the ugly reptile and soon freed himself from its coils.

—It may interest some of our readers to know that under the new dispensation no stamp is required on a receipt for money paid, no matter what the amount. As we don't receive any money, this information is no use to us, and hence we give it, as some of our subscribers seem to think we give our paper, free gratis for nothing.

—A large barn on the farm of Mrs. Shoemaker, near Martinsburg, Blair county, was struck by lightning, set on fire and entirely consumed, with all its contents, on Tuesday week, involving a loss of $3,000. A house near the same place was also struck and considerably damaged and a cow was killed by lightning on the same day.

—A young man named Anderson, son of William Anderson, Esq., of East Freedom, Blair county, and brother-in-law of Mr. N. F. Carroll, of Johnstown, died suddenly not long since from the effects of drinking ice water after having overheated himself playing base ball. He was a most exemplary and intelligent young man, and was greatly respected by all who knew him.

—A young lady, some 17 years of age, handsome in features and rich in splendid attire, gold watch, etc., appeared on one of the streets of Altoona, on Thursday evening last, in a beastly state of intoxication, and indulged in the most plaintive appeals for more liquor. She is said to be a lady of more than ordinary intelligence, and in all other respects is pure as a sunbeam. More's the pity.

—On Monday night week a barn on the Overho lt estate, near West Overton, Westmoreland county, with all it contained, consisting of over six hundred dozen of wheat, sixty tons of hay, two reapers and other farming utensils, harness, etc., was totally destroyed by fire. Supposed to have been the work of an incendiary, and a man named Alex. Beamus has been arrested on suspicion of being the incendiary.

—Mr. Owen Cunningham, of this place, was thrown from his buggy, on Monday evening last, while driving with a number of other gentlemen in the vicinity of Bradley's Station, and falling upon his head and shoulders, received injuries of a very severe character. He was brought home and has been lying in a semi-conscious state for the most part ever since, but on Wednesday morning his condition was somewhat improved, though he still shows signs of deliriousness when aroused from his stupor. We hope to chronicle his early recovery.

—Even the lightning, which is generally a sure shot, will sometimes "miss the goose and hit the gander." A locust gate post in front of the residence of Mr. —— Crouse, just outside the borough limits, was struck by lightning on Tuesday afternoon, and knocked into a thousand splinters, more or less, but strange to say, a large locust tree which stood in close proximity, and completely shaded the post, escaped entirely unscathed. Mrs. Crouse, who was in the house at the time, felt the shock very plainly, but soon recovered from its effects.

—Mr. Geo. Storm, the talented scenic and portrait painter, has just added another laurel to his chaplet in the completion of a magnificent and most perfect picture of Kittanning Point, on the Pa. R. R, which he has transferred to canvas in all its wild and picturesque summer glory. The painting is 30x52 inches in dimensions, and is one of the most creditable of Mr. Storm's efforts. It has been magnificently framed and placed on view at the Mountain House, in this place, but will shortly be taken to Cresson for exhibition. We have not yet learned how Mr. S. proposes to dispose of it.

—A Chromoscopic Panorama, comprising a large number of Biblical, highly moral and very amusing representations, were exhibited at the Congregational church, for the benefit of the Sunday School, on Monday evening last, by Mr. T. R. Evans, agent, of this place, and is said to have given the most perfect satisfaction. Mr. E designs exhibiting this beautiful work of art at several places throughout the county, and we have no hesitation in recommending him to the patronage of all our readers in the several localities he may visit, for we are assured by several gentlemen who saw it that the entertainment is well worth the price of admission.

—Richard Glass, son of John J. Glass, Esq. of Allegheny township, was taken suddenly ill, on Friday afternoon last, while engaged in the field cradling oats, and was so much affected that he found it impossible to retain the cradle in his hands. Giving up his work, he repaired to the house, changed his clothing and went to the Fair at Loretto, from which he returned some time during the night and retired to his bed, where he was found next morning perfectly conscious, but utterly unable to move either hand or foot. Medical aid was called in, but nothing could be done to relieve his sufferings, and on the following (Sunday) morning he expired. This case is certainly a singular one, but the probabilities are that death was caused by either sunstroke or paralysis.

Local Correspondence.

JOHNSTOWN, Aug. 8, 1870.

Dear Freeman—I stated last week that a party from Harrisburg came here to sell a patent medicine called the "Pain Shayer"—that the employees had sued the proprietor—or got him to confess judgment for their salaries as musicians, driver, etc., and that the team had been levied upon, but the case having become more interesting since we propose to make a connected statement of the whole matter for the benefit of your readers. It appears that some time ago a druggist by the name of Kunkel, of Harrisburg, sold a four horse team, a band wagon and a lot of "Pain Shayer" to a certain Dr. Bloomer, and by a written contract bound him to pay one hundred dollars per month on the team and to limit himself to certain territory east of the Allegheny mountains. Mr. Bloomer was not very successful in selling medicine, and failed to pay the stipulated sums, monthly.—Moreover he traveled out of the district to which he was limited. This was sufficient cause for Mr. Kunkel to claim the team and stock.—Mr. Bloomer had in the meantime employed a driver and a band of six musicians, and not paying up as he contracted to do, they threatened to sue him, when he went before Esq. Strayer and confessed judgment for some $450. An execution was issued, the team levied upon and locked up, but when the day of sale came, the constable would not sell without an indemnifying bond in each case (seven cases). The young men could not give the required security and the constable gave up the team and wagon. Mr. Kunkel, hearing that the *shebang* was under execution, came on from Harrisburg with a policeman named M'Donald, and retained the stock, horses, wagon and all, exhibiting his agreement with Bloomer. As soon as the team was released, Mr. Kunkel, Mr. M'Donald, and Mr. Bloomer mounted the wagon and drove to Somerset county. About two hours afterwards Chief of Police Harris, of this place, armed with a warrant and accompanied by the driver of the team, gave chase after the absconding debtors. They found them at Ligonier eating supper at midnight, arrested the three men, and returned next day with team and men. The latter gentlemen were held to answer, and held each in a bond of $750, with security to appear at the next Quarter Sessions at Johnstown District Court. When released they were notified not to take the team away, as another execution was issued and a sale would take place unless the judgment before Esq. Strayer was satisfied. These men refused to do so and so the matter stands. Mr. Kunkel alleges that he has nothing to do with the employees. Mr. Bloomer has no money to pay the judgment, and the extra policeman, M'Donald, has nothing to do with any of them, as he resigned in an official capacity. Mr. Kunkel seems to be right. Mr. Bloomer seemed willing to do all he could to satisfy the claims of the men, and they certainly had a right to claim their money.—Lawyers are employed by each party and some of our citizens seem to take much interest in the matter. The band played on the Public Square on Thursday evening, and a collection was taken up for them. Some of our *horse jockeys* have their eyes on the team, which they will no doubt own, if a sale is pressed, and hence they are watching the doings with a lively interest. It is palpable that Mr. Kunkel may yet pay the judgment to save the team, and then it is likely the matter will be settled amicably and the prosecution withdrawn.

On Saturday morning last over one hundred wagons came to market loaded down with berries, green corn, potatoes, cucumbers, and other marketing. This is an unusual number of wagons for the Johnstown market. The horses left a great amount of filth behind on the streets and on the Square which the borough will have to remove. Some people think the owner of each team should be compelled to pay a small amount for the privilege of occupying the street or Square during market hours, and that the money would pay for removing the garbage.

Geo. Englebach, Esq., the Assistant Marsial for this district, has completed the job of taking the census of the people in his bailiwick. Mr. E. labored hard all summer to complete his task. His knowledge of the German language aided him considerably, and being a fair scholar, he has done the work up well. I congratulate him now that he has escaped with his life, for those who take the census have to pass through many ordeals. I think no man could have done his duty better than Mr. E. did.

The excitement at the Delegate Election was immense. The entire Democratic vote was polled. A Presidential election could not have brought a greater number of voters to the polls. The windows were blocked up, and there were runners hunting up voters in every district.—The south will be variously represented, but we hope the candidates will not carry the war into the convention. Let everything be done decently and in order and then all will go well.

The wife of a celebrated General recently sent boquets to three Congressmen who voted against increasing her husband's salary. One might almost guess what flowers and vegetables composed those boquets. According to the language of flowers, they would be the apricot, foxglove, iris, poppy, marigold, mushroom, peony, sweet pea, thistle, cabbage leaf, etc.

Presuming that the proceedings of the County Convention will occupy considerable space in your paper, I have made my letter as brief as possible this week. ROB ROY.

THE "YOUNG FOLK'S RURAL" is the title of a new Rural and Literary Monthly, designed for Young Men and Young Women, which is to be issued by R. N. P. Lewis, the publisher of the *Western Rural*, at Chicago. Prizes are offered for stories and contributions from young writers. $1.00 per year.

Fry, Fry, Fry, on High, High, High street, street, street, can't be beat, beat, beat in selling goods cheap, cheap, cheap, in small lots or great big heaps, heaps, heaps. Try, Fry, try how it goes to buy, buy, buy at the cheap sile of Fry, Fry, Fry, where it is no lie, lie, lie to say there are great bargains for both you and I, I, I.

Up Again.—We are glad to notice Mr. Huntley once more on his "forked ends" and ready for "biz." We hope he will get all the custom he deserves, and we are sure that sip will keep him so busy he wont have time to get sick again.—So if you wish Mr. H. well be sure to buy from him, and he will do well by you.

Bound to Win.—If the nominations made on Monday prove as satisfactory to all the men folks as the splendid flour sold by E. J. Mills does to all the women folks and the rest of creation, the ticket cannot fail to win. And while the ticket is bound to Rose, Mills' flour is bound to rise, all the time.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

DEEDS AND ASSIGNMENTS LEFT FOR RECORD DURING THE THREE WEEKS ENDING AUG. 6TH.

M. Decker to F. A. Murray, June 11, '70, lot and improvements in Yoder twp.. $ 500.

George Hoech and others to Frederikt Welin, April 28, 1862, lot in Johnstown, nom'l.

Jacob Zorn to A. Haug, July 1, 1870, lot and improvements in Carrolltown..... 700.

Martin Deitrich to M. Kronauer, May 27, 1870, 144 acres in Chest township..... 700.

J. Lantzey to Finney & Barrows, July 14, 1870, 433 acres and 153 perches in Clearfield and Cambria counties..... 3,250.

R. W. Gittings to L. R. Edwards, April 1, 1868, 337 acres and 32 perches in Carroll township..... 1,600.

J. G. Miles, Ex'r, to Wm. P. McKenzie, Jan. 29, 1870, 95 acres and 24 perches in Chest and Carroll township..... 250.

J. Schuster, Att'y, to Emma Schuster, July 16, 1870, 7 acres and 9 perches in Cambria township..... 100.

Geo. M. Reade, Adm'r, to Mrs. Sarah Davis, March 23, 1870, lot and improvements in Ebensburg..... 245.

John Middleton to Thomas Dougherty, Feb. 9, 1870, tract of land in Clearfield and Gallitzin townships..... 500.

M. Farabaugh to John L. Edwards, April 16, 1870, 134 acres and 150 perches and improvements in Carroll twp..... 2,500.

Wm. Davis to Rev. T. R. Jones, Oct. 15, 1868, lot and improvem't in Ebensburg, 1,800.

John Border to J. B. Ribblett, March 16, 1870, 104 acres and 61 perches and improvements in Susquehanh twp..... 325.14.

L. R. Edwards to Andrew Young, July 18, 1870, 4 pieces land in Carroll and Blacklick township..... 8,000.

B. F. Van Scoyoc to Stephen Van Scoyoc, June 1, 1870..... 2,000.

J. Folckomer, Guardian, to A. H. Brown, July 15, 1868, 12 acres in Jackson twp.. 110.

J. Wilkinson, Guardian, to H. Campbell, June 88, 1870, 405 acres and 165 perches in Blacklick township..... 1,000.

Paul Ewanger to F. Bearer, July 22, '70, parties in Carrolltown..... 100.

Thos. D. Lewis and others to Jane Gittings, July 26, 1870, 19 acres and 136 perches and imp'ts in Cambria township.. 1,000.

Thos. D. Lewis and others to Richard W. Gittings, July 26, 1870, 126 acres and 86 perches in Cambria township..... 1,800.

T. F. McClure to J. M. McClure, May 5, 1870, lot and imp'ts in Conem'gh bor.. 800.

J. Varney to M. Cunningham, Sept. 27, 1866, 2 acres in Chest township..... 335.

Levi Stearn to J. W. Pringle, May 4, '70, lot and imp'ts in Franklin borough.. 1,300.

M. M. Adams to John and Henry Mellon, Aug. 3, 1870, 69 acres and 13 perches in Clearfield township..... 1,000.

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A Kissing Scene.—"Oh! kiss me and go," said the maid of his heart, as she proffered her lips as his pay to depart; "the morn is approaching, my mother will know, my kindest and dearest, just kiss me and go!" And the smack that he gave her was fearfully loud, as they parted that morning at the steps of the door, and soon the brave "lovyer" was lost in the crowd that was rushing pell mell to Shoemakers' cheap store.

Cheapest—Simplest—Best!—Gearing all enclosed and warranted in McLanahan, Stone & Isett's (Hollidaysburg, Pa.,) Mower, which they deliver free of freight for $110. They have also the best *Independent Spring Tooth Hay Rake, Emory Mower Knife Grinders, Self-Raking Reaper, Gum Spring Drills, Combined Clover Hullers, Separators, Cider Mills, &c., &c.* MCLANAHAN, STONE & ISETT, Hollidaysburg, Pa. [m.12.3m.*]

A Big Fight.—The great contest at the primary elections for Democratic delegates, on last Saturday, where every voter was out, did not prevent Mr. Mayer from selling a large quantity of ready-made clothing at No. 241, Opera House, Johnstown, and he is willing to sell ten times as many garments yet, all well made and of good materials. Don't you call and see the big store and buy a lot of goods.

Stove Pipes are getting immensely out of fashion as a substitute for hats, but a fashionable hat can always be bought at Cohen's Hat Parlor. No. 227 Main street, Johnstown. If any man wants to run his head through a joint of stove pipe he can do so, but men of taste will crowd around the Hat Perlor, where fashion reigns supreme. Gents' furnishing goods on hands at all times. Mind that.

Victorious.—The French and Prussians have both been victorious, and so has Leopold Mayer, Dry Goods merchant, 212, Opera House, Main street, of needle-guns, and as a consequence his victories are bloodless. He has taken high prices by surprise, and now sells dry goods, dress goods, hats, bonnets, and notions cheaper than ever.

Crimes and Misdemeanors are distinct things. A crime is neglecting to buy dry goods at John J. Murphy's Store, Johnstown. A misdemeanor is merely buying them somewhere else. Both crimes and misdemeanors will be promptly pardoned by Mr. Murphy, whose good will had better be secured at once by buying a great quantity of goods at the Mansion House Corner.

Poetic.—The rain came down in the streets of our town and made a perfect pud-muddle, and people outdoors did "get up and get" on a double quick right out of the wet—many gathering at Chas Roberts' store on Main street, Johnstown, Roberts' store, be it known, is the place to get anything from a steel pen to a sewing machine—cheap—cheaper—cheapest. Why don't you go and buy?

From Prussia.—The very latest news from Prussia is that James J. Murphy, No. 109 Clinton street, Johnstown, has a large amount of made-up clothing which he will sell as cheap as the present war will warrant. He is perfectly willing to take greenbacks for clothing and sell at reduced prices. Those wanting good and cheap clothing will do well to call at No. 109.

Mason & Dixon's Line was abolished by the 15th Amendment, but a new line has been formed—that is a bee line to N. F. Carrol's Dry Goods and Grocery Store, No. 215, opposite the opera House, Main street, Johnstown, where goods are carried away by armsful. Give Mr. Carrol a call and buy something worth while. You will never regret it.

Giants.—The Cardiff giant can be seen at Leopold & Brother's Clothing Store, No. 241 Main street, Johnstown, where he is getting a splendid new suit of made-up clothing, and where any other man can be fitted with any kind of clothing, as cheap as the cheapest. Call soon or the giant will be gone, and then you will miss a grand sight.

Very Fine.—The fair at Loretto is said to have been one of the best ever gotten up on the mountain, and the stock of goods of every shade and variety kept by A. J. Christy is without doubt the very finest and most complete ever opened in that place. Mr. Christy has a fair all the time fair goods, fair prices and fair dealing.

IF YOU WANT a nice set of teeth upon the Stuck patent principle, with the privilege of exchanging them for a set on the common style in case they are not perfectly satisfactory any time within one year, go to Dr. Izenberg's office, in Alltoona, where you can get them. The Dr. warrants all his work, and will do it as cheap as like work can be had in the two counties. 2t,

Summer Closing.—This is the last month of summer, a fact which reminds V. S. Barker that it is time to close out his summer stock of superb goods, and that he proposes to do by reducing prices and giving all his customers better bargains than ever for the ready cash—Very Sensible Business buying from V. S. Barker.

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Our Say.—Right here we wish to say that R. R. Davis, the accomodating East Ward merchant, can and will give as many goods of the best quality for the same amount of money as any dealer here or hereabouts. "The proff of the pudding," etc. Call and be convinced.

Exquisite.—Mr. Evans, the artist, executed several photographs for a couple of our "household pets" one day last week, and we must say that we have not seen them excelled. They are perfect gems, and plainly indicate that Mr. E. understands his business to perfection.

OAK HALL, Philadelphia, is as cool as a refrigerator this hot weather, and when once you get into one of its summer suits you feel as though you had gone on a voyage in search of Sir John Franklin.

DIED—In this place, on Tuesday night, 9th inst., after a long and painful illness, Mrs. Margaret Evans, wife of Mr. John Evens, tanner, aged about 40 years.

[BY REQUEST.]

IN PIAM MEMORIUM.

Died, on Friday, July 15th, at 7 o'clock, P. M., at his residence in Loretto, Cambria Co., Pa., Mr. PETER CHRISTY, in the 68th year of his age.

Mr. Christy, one of the earliest settlers of Loretto, was during his life a model of every virtue, and truly his death was that of the just.—He was an affectionate husband, a devoted father, a kind and generous neighbor, and above all an excellent Christian. In an eminent degree stood out his piety. Daily was he an attendant at the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. Whether the heat of summer or the inclemency of winter prevailed, it was all the same—this true servant of the Gospel would be seen wending his way to the chapel of the presbytery, where had so often officiated his early friend, the sainted Prince Gallitzin, and there, book in hand, most generally the server of the celebrant, was he an example of fervor that charmed every beholder. Truly, in Mr. Christy were combined all those beautiful virtues that so endear a man to all his acquaintances and so readily secure for him the esteem of the most indifferent. But, above all, on the death bed, the test of the character most generally, did the virtue of this good man most singularly manifest itself. Suffering from a most acute disease, never was a single groan heard to issue from his lips—never a word expressive of impatience. From the very commencement of the attack that precluded his death, he seemed perfectly to understand the nature of his case, and that recovery was impossible; yet he never murmured, but with consummate patience took the bitter draught that was offered and submitted cheerfully to the requirements of medical skill—showing, as it were, that obedience in all the occurrences of life is incumbent upon the Christian. We cannot forbear referring here to a very touching incident relative to his death bed, and it will illustrate more clearly the singular piety of this virtuous soul. Oppressed with a racking fever, scarcely able to lift his hand from the bed of pain, and apparently unconscious of every passing event, he hears the tolling of the "Angelus." Opening his eyes, he looks around, and calls upon those standing near to recite with him the usual salutation, though excruciating pain followed the utterance of every syllable he pronounced. We thought within ourselves how true the saying, "As a man lives so shall he die."

Around the bed of this dying saint stood his afflicted wife and eight sorrowing children—one a religious of the Order of Mercy, and also the respected pastor of Ebensburg, Cambria county—and many weeping relatives and friends. To each he spoke in beautiful terms, but addressing his children separately, he exhorted them to live as they should—that, though his turn was to-day, yet theirs was quickly to follow—that their only reliance should be on God, and that whenever He called they should be ready; and, above all, that charity should be the bond ever uniting them. Thus lived and thus taught this good old man, and having fulfilled the work that was given him to do, he passed hastily to our Lord without a single struggle. Oh! on deaths like this one loves to dwell. For him the sound of the "Profiscere" had not the slightest terror. At the judgment seat he found little to grieve. We should not mourn his departure, but it leaves a void in our midst that naught can fill.

On the Monday following death a grand Requium Mass was celebrated by Rev. R. C. Christy, son of the deceased, assisted by Rev. F. Benno, O. S. B., as Deacon, Rev. F. Mauritus, O. S. B., Sub-Deacon, and Rev. E. Burns, Pastor of St. Augustine, Master of Ceremonies. The choral services were performed by some ten or twelve clergymen present, among whom were Rev. E. A. Bush, Loretto, Rev. Giles Christoph, St. Vincent's, Westmoreland Co., Rev. J. Farren, Tyrone, Pa., Rev. J. C. Bigham, (nephew of deceased,) of New Brighton, Pa., and a number of Benedictine Fathers whose names I failed to learn. These with their rich bassos and tenors in the solemn Gregorian chant added immensely to the sublimity of the scene.

At the conclusion of the Mass the burial service was read by the officiating ministry, assisted by deacon and sub-deacon. The sermon, a touching one, was delivered by Rev. R. Phelan, pastor of St. Peter's, Allegheny county, who took for his text, "Blessed are the dead who repose in the Lord, for their works follow them." The Rev. orator spoke of the virtues of the deceased, told how all flesh is grass and the glory thereof as the flower of the field that fadeth away, and how we are compelled to acknowledge that everything here below is vanity of vanities, except to love and serve God. Heaven and earth shall pass away, saith the Lord, but my word shall never pass away. God is our only resource and our only hope in the midst of the dangers and trials of life, as well as in the midst of the terrors of death. Having thus spoken at considerable length, the Rev. preacher concluded with those beautiful words, Well done, good and faithful servant: because thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will now place thee over many. Enter into the kingdom prepared for thee."

The remains of the deceased, enshrined in a magnificent metallic case ornamented with silver mountings and a rich silver cross, were then taken to the catafalque and, preceded by the acolytes, clergymen, and brotherhood of St. Francis, passed processionally down the aisle of the church, followed by the numerous relatives and friends to the cemetery. The clergy entoned the burial psalms as the procession moved to the grave, and at the direction of the grave-yard, and all present felt their hearts deeply moved. Ere long the grave closed over all that remained of Mr. Peter Christy, and we turned from the spot echoing the words of the sacred text: "Beati mortui qui in Domino moriuntur. Amodo jam requiescant a laboribus suis: opera enim illarum sequentur illas." R.I.P.

DIED.

DONAHOE.—On the 16th ult., near Hemlock, Pa., Patrick F., infant son of Thomas and E. J. Donahoe, aged 6 months.

He died—but those fond parents
Their sorrow did restrain,
For they knew he was with Jesus,
And they asked him not again.

And now from highest Heaven
He doth look down each day,
And sees what'er they doeth,
And hears what they do say. H. P.

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HOT WEATHER.—SHOO FLY!

[The present hot weather, in itself quite debilitating and almost unendurable, says the Bedford *Gazette*, would be still more tolerable but for the swarm of pestiferous flies that abound on every hand, and that follow one into the most shady and secluded nook. In vain do we attempt to hide from these abominable intruders, for the wicked may flee whither they will, yet the fly pursueth—and successful and annoying is the pursuit thereof. And the good housewife has her troubles, too, with the *Musca domestica*, the annoyance of the kitchen and the dining hall. Cruel and undeserved persecution everywhere by this insect nuisance and the thermometer so high that one is too much overcome to say "Shoo Fly!" But while this hot weather develops innumerable flies, the unsuccessful warfare to shoo these pests out of existence, has aroused the latent powers of our "pole," who, in a frantic but futile attempt to take an after dinner nap, got off the following, which is *not* according to Longfellow. Hear him:

THE HORRIBLE FLY.

Oh, the fly! the horrible fly!
Dabbling at nose, and mouth, and eye,
Over the ceiling, over the meat,
Over all the people eat,
Buzzing,
Tickling,
Crawling about,
Damnable insect, you git out!

Wading in paint on a lady's cheek,
Leaving behind a tortuous streak,
Accursed fly! From the hell below,
Never came pests that plague us so.
Dancing,
Nibbling,
Fresh from the sty,
The filthy sty, where the porkers lie.

And even the dogs, with a snarl and a bound,
Snap at the insects that swarm around.
The air is blue with oaths that try
To drown the hum of the "ojue" fly.

When the weary pilgrim seeks repose,
There's a hornpipe danced on the top of his nose,
There's a vigorous d—n, and a slam and slap,
And that's the end of the pilgrim's nap.
Singing,
Stinging,
Why, oh, why,
Did God create this pestilent fly?

Once I was pious, but fell from grace—
Played the knave open, and coppered the ace—
Made of myself a terrible guy,
When the devil caught me out on the fly,

How strange it is that woman will try
To kill with combat this villainous fly;
How strange it seems, when a million are slain,
To find the multitude doubled again.
Whisking,
Frisking,
With clammy feet,
Hunting us out in quiet retreat.

If, like Toby, at the fly we swear,
And the angel recorder enters it there,
Give us, then, the ever welcome doubt,
That the tear of mercy will blot it out.

A Strange Being.

The Woman-Man of Washington County, Texas.

A correspondent of the New Orleans *Picayune* says: During a recent sojourn in the Lone Star State, my attention was called to a curiosity, or a freak of nature, more wonderful than the three-horned ox, and a harder dose for skeptics than the fact of a hog playing seven-up. About six miles from Chappell Hill, Washington County, Texas, there is a negro, about twenty five years of age, who can truly be called a woman-man—being physically a man, with the nature, disposition and temperament of a woman. He was born in Washington county, is now in the employ of Judge Landes, and was formerly employed by Mr. M. Montgomery, of the same county. While a youth he always had a desire to wear girls' clothes, and did such work as fine sewing, quilting, knitting, cooking, &c., as naturally as a girl would. In fact, from the age of twelve he did all of his mother's sewing, and continually protested against wearing men's clothes. The work of a woman was more natural to him than that of a man, and he would always show his feminine disposition in such little actions as riding side saddle, &c. He would beg to be called Dixie, or by any girl's name, instead of Dick. The most wonderful part of the history of this strange being is, that at the very moment he was free he adopted the full garb of a woman and the name of Lizzie. By those with whom he was raised he was called Lizzie-Dick, but is most generally known by the name of Lizzie, and is now almost universally recognized as a woman by both the whites and the blacks of the county. His bedroom is always kept in the very neatest order, and in his dress he displays a rare taste seldom seen among negroes, and often "found wanting" in the fashionable belle of society. He evinces no disposition to talk of his situation, but simply says he is a woman, and considers it a non-debatable question. I know the reader will say, as did the writer, on first hearing of this wonderful being, that he is hermaphroditical, innatic, or a monomaniac on this one subject; but the above two gentlemen will corroborate the statement that the former is not the case, and that there is not a brighter or more intelligent negro in the county. This is probably another case of man turning to woman as was going the rounds of the press a year or two ago; but my object being simply to give above facts, I will leave the "whys and wherefores" for wiser heads than that of your friend.

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Ebensburg, May 27, 1869.

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I take pleasure in recommending your ROSADALIS as a very powerful alterative. I have seen it used in two cases with happy results—one in a case of secondary syphilis, in which the patient pronounced himself cured after having taken five bottles of your medicine. The other is a case of Scrofula of long standing, which is rapidly improving under its use, and the indications are that the patient will soon recover. I have carefully examined the formula by which your Rosadalis is made and find it an excellent compound of alterative ingredients.

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Trustworthy and reliable men are wanted to act as agents for this Company in Cambria and adjoining counties, and with such the most liberal arrangements will be made. To those who may be unacquainted with the business, full instructions and aid will be most cheerfully rendered whenever desirable or available.

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Agents for Cambria County,
Johnstown, Pa.

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Special Agent.

Nov. 11, 1869.-1y.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—The FARM lately owned by EDWARD A. BURKE, dec'd, situated in Washington township, Cambria county, is offered for sale. Said Farm contains 175 ACRES, 80 acres of which are cleared, the balance being well timbered. The land is of the best quality and the improvements are a HOUSE, BARN, &c. There is a good ORCHARD on the premises. For terms, which will be made easy, inquire on the premises, or of the undersigned in Allegheny township.—Possession will be given when sale is effected.

JAMES J. KAYLOR,
April 21.-tf. Executor of E. A. Burke, dec'd.

NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS.—Having procured a perfect list of all warrantee names, dates of warrants, and of the payment of the purchase money and the names of the persons paying the same, with a complete draft made from the official records showing the location of each tract of land, I am prepared to procure patents from the Land Office for the owners of unpatented lands, under the Act of Assembly of the 20th of May, 1864 and the supplement thereto, as required by the recent order of the Surveyor General.

GEO. M. READE.

Ebensburg, March 24, 1870.-tf.

GAY & WELSH,
Successors to Gay & Painter,
WHOLESALE
Grocers and Commission Merchants
AND DEALERS IN
FLOUR, PRODUCE, FISH, SALT, CARBON OILS, &c., &c.,
362 LIBERTY STREET, - PITTSBURGH.

The Cavern by the Sea.

There is a cavern in the Island of Hoonga, one of the Tonga Islands, in the South Pacific Ocean, which can be entered only by diving into the sea, and has no other light than that what is reflected from the bottom of the water. A young chief discovered it accidentally while diving after a turtle and the use which he made of his discovery will probably be sung in more than one European language, so beautifully is it adopted for a tale in verse.

There was a tyranical governor at Vavoo, against whom one of the chiefs formed a plan of insurrection: it was betrayed, and the chief with all his family and kin, were ordered to be destroyed. He had a beautiful daughter betrothed to a chief of high rank, and she was also included in the sentence. The youth who had found the cavern, and kept the secret to himself loved this damsel; he told her the danger in time, and persuaded her to trust herself to him.

They got into a canoe; the place of her retreat was described to her on the way to it. These women swim like mermaids. She dived after him and rose in the cavern. In the widest part it is about fifty feet, and its medium height is about the same; the roof is hung with stalactites.

Here he brought her the choicest food, the finest clothing mats for her bed, and sandalwood oil to perfume herself. And here, as may be imagined, this Tonga Leander wooed and won the maid, whom to make the interest complete, he had long loved in secret when he had no hope.—Meantime he prepared with all his dependents, male and female, to emigrate in secret to the Fiji Islands.

The intention was so well concluded, that they embarked in safety, and his people asked him, at the point of their departure, if he would not take with him a Tonga wife, and accordingly, to their great astonishment, having steered close to a rock, he desired them to wait while he went into the sea to fetch her, jumped overboard, and just as they were begining to be alarmed at his long disappearance, he rose with his mistress from the water This story is not deficient in that which all stories should have to be perfectly delightful—a fortunate conclusion. The party remained at the Fijis till the oppressor died, and then returned to Vavoo, where they enjoyed a long and happy life. This is related as an authentic tradition.

WONDERFUL SAGACITY OF A DOG.—The following story, strange as it may appear, is vouched for by several witnesses, whose testimony is unimpeachable:

A short time ago a female Newfoundland dog was in the habit of coming to the house of a lady in this city who would throw to it pieces of cold meat, which the dog would eat, and, having satisfied its hunger, go away again. So confirmed did this habit become, that at a certain hour every day the lady would expect the dog, and the animal would put in an appearance. A few days ago, before feeling her, the lady sadly said to her, "Why don't you bring me one of your puppies?" repeating the question several times as she stood at the window, the dog looking her in the face with an expression of intelligence as if it understood every word the lady said. The next day, to the lady's astonishment, at the usual hour, the dog returned, and behold! was accompanied by a little puppy.

The lady fed both dogs and then took up the poppy into the window, when the old dog scampered off and did not return for three days. At the end of that time the dog again appeared, when, after feeding it, the lady said, "next time bring all your puppies, I want to see them;" and the next morning, sure enough, the dog returned, accompanied by three Newfoundland pups. Several of the neighbors saw the whole transaction, and declared that they considered this one of the most wonderful proofs of the sagacity of the dog they have ever known. Where the dog came from, or to whom it belongs, is not konwn, but we have the name of the lady and also of those who were eye-witnesses to the occurrences as narrated by us. —*Reading Journal.*

JOSH BILLINGS thus speaks of a new agricultural implement, to which the attention of farmers is invited: "John Rodgers' revolving, expanding, uncerimonious, self-adjusting, self-contrackting, self-sharpening, self-greasing and self-righteous hoss rake is now and forever offered tew a generous publick. These rakes are ez easy to keep in repair az a hitching post, and will rake up a paper of pins sewed broadkast in a ten aker field of wheat. These rakes kan be used in winter as a hen-roost, or be sawed up in stove-wood for the kitchen fire. No farmer of good moral karakter should be without this rake, even if he has to steal one.

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1870. Summer. 1870.

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My stock consists in part of every variety of

Tin, Sheet-Iron,

COPPER AND BRASS WARES,

ENAMELLED AND PLAIN

SAUCE-PANS, BOILERS, &c.,

COAL SHOVELS, MINE LAMPS, OIL CANS, HOUSEFURNISHING HARDWARE OF EVERY KIND.

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HEATING AND COOKING STOVES, *EXCELSIOR COOKING STOVES.* NOBLE, TRIUMPH AND PARLOR COOKING STOVES,

And any Cooking Stove desired I will get when ordered at manufacturer's prices.—Odd Stove Plates and Grates, &c., for repairs, on hand for the Stoves I sell; others will be ordered when wanted. Particular attention given to

Spouting, Valleys and Conductors,

all of which will be made out of best materials and put up by competent workmen.

Lamp Burners, Wick and Chimneys

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I would call particular attention to the Light House Burner, with Glass Cone, for giving more light than any other in use. Also, the Paragon Burner, for Crude Oil.

SUGAR KETTLES AND CAULDRONS

of all sizes constantly on hand.

Special attention given to

Jobbing in Tin, Copper and Sheet-Iron.

at lowest possible rates.

WHOLESALE MERCHANTS' LISTS now ready, and will be sent on application by mail or in person

Hoping to see all my old customers and many new ones this Spring, I return my most sincere thanks for the very liberal patronage I have already received, and will endeavor to please all who may call, whether they buy or not.

FRANCIS W. HAY.

Johnstown, March 7, 1867.

GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES! *TO CASH BUYERS!*

AT THE EBENSBURG

HOUSE-FURNISHING STORE.

The undersigned respectfully informs the citizens of Ebensburg and the public generally that he has made a great reduction in prices to CASH BUYERS. My stock will consist, in part, of *Cooking, Parlor and Heating Stoves*, of the most popular kinds; *Tinware* of every description, of my own manufacture; *Hardware* of all kind, such as Locks, Screws, Butt Hinges, Table Hinges, Shutter Hinges, Bolts, Iron and Nails, Window Glass, Putty, Table Knives and Forks, Carving Knives and Forks, Meat Cutters, Apple Parers, Pen and Pocket Knives in great variety, Scissors, Shears, Razors and Strops Axes, Hatchets, Hammers, Boring Machines, Augers, Chissels, Planes, Compasses, Squares, Files, Rasps, Anvils, Vises, Wrenches, Rip, Panel and Cross-Cut Saws, Chains of all kinds, Shovels, Spades, Scythes and Snaths, Rakes, Forks, Sleigh Bells, Shoe Lasts, Pegs, Wax Bristles, Clothes Wringers, Grind Stones, Patent Molasses Gates and Measures, Lumber Sticks, Horse Nails, Horse Shoes, Cast Steel, Rifles, Shot Guns, Revolvers, Pistols, Cartridges, Powder, Caps, Lead, &c., Odd Stove Plates, Grates and Fire Bricks, Well and Cistern Pumps and Tubing; *Harness and Saddlery Ware* of all kind; *Wooden and Willow Ware* in great variety; Carbon Oil and Oil Lamps, Fish Oil, Lard Oil, Linseed Oil, Lubricating Oil, Rosin, Tar, Glassware, Paints, Varnishes, Turpentine, Alcohol, &c.

FAMILY GROCERIES,

such as Tea, Coffee, Sugars, Molasses, Syrups, Spices, Dried Peaches, Dried Apples, Fish, Hominy, Crackers, Rice and Pearl Barley; Soaps, Candles; TOBACCO and CIGARS; Paint, Whitewash, Scrub, Horse, Shoe, Dusting, Varnish, Stove, Clothes and Tooth Brushes, all kinds and sizes; Bed Cords and Manilla Ropes, and many other articles at the lowest rates for CASH.

☞ *House Spouting* made, painted and put up at low rates for *cash*. A liberal discount made to country dealers buying Tinware wholesale. GEO. HUNTLEY

Ebensburg, Feb, 28, 1867.-tf.

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Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

HEATING AND COOK STOVES

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,

TIN, COPPER AND SHEET-IRON WARE

OF HIS OWN MANUFACTURE,

And GENERAL JOBBER in SPOUTING

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The only dealer in the city having the right to sell the renowned "BARLEY SHEAF" COOK STOVE, the most perfect complete and satisfactory Stove ever introduced to the public.

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SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

TIN, COPPER AND SHEET-IRON WARE.—Having purchased the tools and fixtures of Mr. T. W. Williams, and leased the building recently occupied by S. Singleton, Esq., on High street, opposite the store of Zahm & Son, the subscriber would respectfully inform the citizens of Ebensburg and parts adjacent that he is prepared to furnish all kind of TIN, COPPER and SHEET IRON WARE of his own manufacture, which he will not only guarantee perfect in make and material, but fully as moderate in price as like articles are sold by any manufacturer in the county. Special attention paid to making and putting up SPOUTING of all kinds. An examination of my work and prices is respectfully solicited, and I have no fear but what I can give entire satisfaction to all who favor me with their custom.

VALENTINE LUTTRINGER.

Ebensburg, Aug. 5, 1869.-tf.

FRANK W. HAY,

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We have made arrangements by which we can do or have done all kinds of plain and fancy Job Printing, such as Books, Pamphets, Show Cards, Bill and Letter Heads, Handbills, Circulars, &c., in the best style of the art and at the most moderate prices. Also, all kinds of Ruling, Blank Books, Book Binding, &c., executed to order as good as the best and as cheap as the cheapest.

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NEW FIRM, NEW BUILDINGS, &c.

HAVING purchased the well known EBENSBURG FOUNDRY from Mr. Edw. Glass, and rebuilt and enlarged it almost entirely, besides refitting it with new machinery, the subscribers are now prepared to furnish

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of the latest and most approved patterns THRESHING MACHINES, MILL GEARING, ROSE and WATER WHEELS of every description, IRON FENCING, PLOUGHS and PLOUGH CASTINGS, and in fact all manner of articles manufactured in a first class Foundery. Job Work of all kind attended to promptly and done cheaply.

The special attention of Farmers is invited to two newly patented PLOUGHS which we possess the sole right to manufacture and sell in this county, and which are admitted to be the best ever introduced to the public.

Believing ourselves capable of performing any work in our line in the most satisfactory manner, and knowing that we can do work at LOWER PRICES than have been charged in this community heretofore we confidently hope that we will be found worthy of liberal patronage.

Fair reductions made to wholesale dealers.

☞ The highest prices paid in cash for old metal, or castings given in exchange.

OUR TERMS ARE STRICTY CASH OR COUNTRY PRODUCE. CONVERY, VINROE & CO.

Ebensburg, Sept. 2, 1868.

FARMERS, Look to Your Interests,

AND BUY ONE OF

SPROUT'S COMBINED

HAY FORK AND KNIFE,

THE BEST AND ONY PERFECTLY COMBINED

Hay Fork and Knife Manufactured.

EVERY FORK WARRANTED.

As only a limited number can be supplied for this county, orders for this celebrated Hay Fork and Knife should be sent in early to

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Ebensburg, Dec. 9, 1869. 6m.

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For Men's and Boys' Wear.

The undersigned respectfully informs his numerous customers and the public generally that he is prepared to manufacture BOOTS and SHOES of any desired size or quality, from the finest French calfskin boots to the coarsest brogan, in the VERY BEST MANNER, on the shortest notice, and at as moderate prices as like work can be obtained anywhere.

Those who have worn Boots and Shoes made at my establishment need no assurance as to the superior quality of my work. Others can easily be convinced of the fact if they will only give me a trial. Try and be convinced.

☞ Repairing of Boots and Shoes attended to promptly and in a workmanlike manner.

Thankful for past favors I feel confident that my work and prices will commend me to a continuance and increase of the same.

JOHN D. THOMAS.

Ebensburg, April 28, 1869.

FIRST NATIONAL

Saddle & Harness Shop

IN CAMBRIA COUNTY.

The subscriber has commenced business at his Old Stand on High street, West Ward, opposite the Union School House, Ebensburg, Pa., where he is manufacturing and is prepared to fill all orders in his line at greatly reduced prices. Desirous of patronage from all former patrons and the public generally, I invite them to call, with a view of saving money for themselves, as I will positively furnish the best and cheapest work that is or can be made in this or adjoining counties. Call and see samples of my work and learn my prices.

M. M. O'NEILL.

Ebeneburg, March 10, 1870.-tf.

A GREAT CHANCE

To Save Money!

ALL PERSONS buying Goods from me after this date, and paying CASH for the same, will be allowed TEN PER CENT. off regular prices. No discount will be allowed unless cash is paid down at time of purchase.

☞ Come on! come all! and convince yourselves that MONEY CAN BE SAVED BY BUYING FOR CASH from

GEO. HUNTLEY.

THINGS WORTH KNOWING.

TO DRIVE AWAY FLIES.—Turpentine that washing horses in the morning—water in which one or two onions are boiled will keep all the flies at a distance. A experiment—well worth trying.

GOOD FOR THEM.—Those keeping should twice a week throw into the a handful of salt and ashes. H this, and it will tend to keep them fresh and their hair soft and fine.

SPOTS ON CARPET.—A few drops bonate of ammonia in a small quan warm rain water will, if carefully remove spots on carpets, whether by acids or alkalies. Carpets whitewash have been perfectly this simple recipe.

HOW TO DESTROY RED ANTS.—P white china plate and spread a thin of common lard over it, and place floor or shelf infested by the troub sects. You will be pleased at the Stirring them up every morning is necessary to set the trap again.

TO WASH FLANNELS WITHOUT SHR —No woolen fabric should have soap on it, unless you wish to shrink it. in warm water half an hour; rub when you rinse it out; then rub in good hot suds; rinse it out, put in and pour clean boiling water on more the better, let it stand till cold to be rinsed out by hand.

CLEANING SILVER-PLATED ARTI White metal articles, electro-plated silver, should be cleaned with great tion. The use of soap gives to the a leaden appearance. If tarnished with a little fine whitening, wet with then wash with clean, soft, warm dry carefully, and polish with fine ing on a piece of soft leather.

OLD RIBBONS will look quite new washed in cool suds made of fine soap ironed when damp. Cover the rib a clean cloth and pass the iron over If you wish to stiffen the ribbon, while drying, into gum arabic water. silk gloves wash well, and stretch on the hands. Never dampen them and iron it wet—it makes it as stiff

ECONOMICAL PAINT.—Skim milk, fresh slacked lime, 8 ozs; linseed oil white burgandy pitch, 2 ozs; Spanish 3 pounds. The lime is to be made water, exposed to the air, mixed in of the milk; the oil in which the previously dissolved, to be added a a time; then the rest of the milk and wards the Spanish white. This is sufficient for 27 square yards, 2 coats.

FRUIT PRINTING.—When fruit is intended to be shown at a fair or to a friend, it will add something in the of novelty to have its name or that person printed indelibly upon the This may be done by the following Just before the fruit has attained its rity, cut from tough thin paper the proposed, and paste this on the side specimen most exposed to the sun. portion of the fruit covered by the will assume a different color from the and, when ripe, the paper is removing the name distinctly visible.

CRAMPS.—We are informed by an ed citizen who has been much troubled nocturnal cramps, having often been by sudden cramps, to jump hastily his bed, that he has found an infallible ever ready remedy, which consists raising the toes of the cramped foot wards, projecting the heel as far as sible and making the toes point as possible to the head. Our informant gests the probability that this simple dient if known and practiced by would prove as efficacious in the in the chamber, and would prevent quent loss of life by drowning. Let pass this along.—*Pittsburgh Gazette.*

PROTECTING ROOFS FROM FIRE.—composed of lime, salt, and fine wood ashes, put on in the ordinary whitewashing, is said to render the fold more safe against taking fire ing cinders or otherwise in case of vicinity. It pays the expense a effect of the weather; the older and weather-beaten the shingles, the fit derived. Such shingles are more or less warped, rough and The application or wash, by upper surface, restores them to al or first form, thereby closing between the shingles, and the by filling up the cracks and shingle itself, prevents its warping if not forever.—*Fireman's Journal.*

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ALL KINDS OF CHAIRS

such as common Windsor Chairs, Fancy Chairs, Vienna Chairs, Rustic Chairs, Backed Chairs, Sociable Chairs,

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ROCKING CHAIRS, OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,

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Tastes of all.

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